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IN CALEDONIAL HALL.

Ladies' Thistle Club and Caledonians Have Merry Gathering.

The Ladies' Thistle club and the Caledonians held a Halloween festival last night in Caledonian hall. The concert program included piano selection, Prof. Buckley; songs by Mrs. W. H. Pepin and Thomas Wardell; an appropriate and well delivered, but brief address by Rev. Dr. Court, followed by a reading. Auld Lang Syne by the company closed this feature, after some bagpipe selections and a dance by James Frazer.

After the entertainment, supper was served, and dancing followed.

LOCAL NOTES.

First-class coat makers wanted at Bertrand's, Middle street.

A. B. Butterfield, 84 Forrest street, reported to the police last night that he had his Stearns bicycle stolen from in front of Carter's drug store.

At Post 185, G.A.R. hall, last night, the Sons and Daughters of Maine had a largely attended and substantial supper of the old Pine Tree state sort.

Election Notes.

The Knights of Columbus received the returns over a special wire, and they were announced to the members when received. Refreshments were served and whist and billiards were enjoyed.

At the Highland club the progress of the big political game was told to the members as it came in on the wire.

The Y.M.C.A. had quite a crowd at its rooms, and as fast as the results were told the audience assembled, they were also thrown out upon the sheet on the opposite side of the street.

At Huntington hall several hundred people listened to the returns as they were given out by Chairman Poore of the republican city committee.

Post 185, G. A. R., in the Wyman exchange kept open house, played whist, smoked, enjoyed a collation, received some returns.

At the Yorick and Elks' club rooms there were also gatherings during part of the evenings.

New Circle Instituted.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, was instituted at Odd Fellows' hall, Merrimack street, last evening, with 25 charter members by Deputy W. H. Harrigan, assisted by Napoleon Roy of Court Samuel de Champlain as marshall.

After initiation of members the following officers were elected and installed: Chief Companion, Mary A. Gookin; S. C. C., Miss Monohan; F. S., Kate A. Tweed; treasurer, Miss Breen; right and left guides, Misses Curran and Delehanty; inside and outside guardians, Misses Hubin and Horgan.

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A GREAT REPUBLICAN SWEEP

William McKinley Will Have 300 Votes in Electoral College.

Democrats Beaten All Along the Line—Congressman Fitzgerald Pulls Through—Nearly All the Doubtful States Go For McKinley—Unexampled Pluralities For the Republican Ticket—Gov. Wolcott Carries Massachusetts by 125,000.

WILLIAM McKINLEY, PRESIDENT ELECT.

Boston, Nov. 4.—Massachusetts will send 15 Republican electors to the electoral college, backed by a plurality for McKinley and Hobart of nearly 125,000. Never before in the history of the Bay State has there been such a decided sentiment in favor of one of the two great political parties. The nearest approach to such an enormous majority was at the 1872 election, when the Grant electors had 74,000 plurality. The popular endorsement of Governor Wolcott is nearly as great as that of his presidential leader. The Democratic deflection to McKinley was something almost unlooked for, especially in this city, the stronghold of the Democratic party in the state. While the change in the ward lines made a detailed comparison almost impossible, the Democratic districts showed a great falling off in the usual heavy party majority. The Republican gains were, however, heaviest in the small towns, notwithstanding the appeal to the farmer vote made by the Democratic orators.

ROGER WOLCOTT

The weakness of the Democratic gold vote was another feature of the present election, the National Democratic candidates barely obtaining 3 per cent of the total vote necessary to retain a place on the state ticket at the next election. It was expected that Williams would run somewhat behind Bryan in the state, but in all the towns and nearly every city, the Dedham statesman was neck and neck with his leader, and went down with him under a storm of ballots. Massachusetts will be represented in the next house of congress by 12 Republicans and one Democrat, an unchanged delegation, while the latter, Congressman Fitzgerald, will continue to hold his place as the only Democratic congressman from New England.

The only contest of interest was that in the Ninth and Tenth district, although in the former, the stronghold of the Democracy, the Republicans had but little hope. The fight in the latter was very keen between Rev. S. J. Barrows and Alderman Bordman Hall. Mr. Barrows won by a good margin.

The legislature of Massachusetts will be as usual, Republican in both branches, but this year there will be a heavier majority than ever before. The election was a quiet one, but few disturbances being reported, while the fine weather enabled nearly 90 per cent of the total registration to be polled.

The Massachusetts legislature for 1897 will be more strongly Republican than ever. The Democrats have lost two senators and about 10 representatives. The next senate will probably stand 35 Republicans and five Democrats, and the house, 200 Republicans and 40 Democrats. Four of the senators will come from Boston.

The proposed amendment to the state constitution, establishing biennial elections, was defeated by a good majority.

A RECORD BREAKER.

Plurality In Rhode Island the Largest Ever Given Republicans.

Providence, Nov. 4.—As soon as the returns from the Rhode Island towns began to come in, it was very evident that the state had given McKinley an overwhelming majority. Town after town, irrespective of its political complexion upon local issues, cast its vote for the Republican candidates, and as early as 9 o'clock the Democrats themselves were ready to admit that the state had given McKinley a plurality of 15,000, while the Republicans claimed that the total vote would show a plurality bordering upon 25,000, the biggest plurality ever given in Rhode Island. The gold vote in Rhode Island has cut a sorry figure. In some towns from six to 25 votes were cast for Palmer, while many made no report of this feature in sending their returns to Providence. So far as can be estimated, however, the total vote cast for the gold candidates will be very small, the Gold Democrats having united with the Republicans to poll a big vote for the gold standard candidates. In the two congressional districts the vote follows closely that cast for the national ticket. Melville Bull and Adin B. Capron, the congressional candidates from the First and Second districts, are elected by pluralities that promise to surprise any on record.

Interest in the election in Rhode Island centered in the different municipal contests, rather than in the presidential vote, which, it was generally believed, would be cast for McKinley. In view of these conditions, the mayoralty vote in the different cities was counted first, and at 2 o'clock the election officials were engaged in this work, so that the probable result of the state vote could only be estimated. From returns at hand in the cities it is thought that the Republican plurality will be between 15,000 and 20,000. The cities of Central Falls and Pawtucket are Democratic. Woonsocket changes from the Democratic to the Republican column, while Newport is Republican.

TOOK EVERYTHING.

Connecticut Republicans Victorious by Largely Increased Majorities.

New Haven, Nov. 4.—Connecticut witnessed a Republican landslide, and the electoral vote of the state will be given to McKinley at the instance of a popular vote, which shows a Republican plurality of nearly 40,000. The vote polled breaks all records, and the Republican victory is also the largest in the history of the state. On the state ticket the Republican candidates are victorious by like pluralities. The four Republican congressmen are re-elected by pluralities ranging from 10,000 to 16,000. The next general assembly will be overwhelmingly Republican, to the extent of a solid Republican senate and a house majority of 200. The Gold Standard Democratic vote fell far below expectations.

New Haven, Nov. 4.—Returns thus far received warrant the belief that Connecticut has gone Republican by at least 40,000. Various Republican papers are unanimous in claiming the state for McKinley by 50,000. Republican gains are reported in almost every section of the state. The Republican state ticket is elected by majorities ranging from 30,000 to 40,000. The four Republican congressmen are elected by largely increased majorities, and the state legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican.

Returns show that the next general assembly will be overwhelmingly Republican. In 24 senatorial districts not a Democratic candidate has been elected. In the house, out of 252 representatives

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THE VOTE CAST IN LOWELL

Showing the Efficacy of the Recent Gerrymander.

It Also Shows the Effect of the Big Political Cyclone that Has Brought Ruin to Democratic Prospects Hereabouts—The Returns Tell the Tale.

The crowd that gathered in front of The Sun Building last evening resembled one of the dense crowds that listened to Mr. Bryan during the campaign. It was a vast sea of seething, howling, yelling, clapping, clattering humanity.

The returns cast upon the canvas over The Sun building were eagerly sought, and whenever good news for either side was put out, a terrific cheer went up and was repeated again and again with a "tiger" accompaniment.

The Courier's megaphone, by which the returns were announced, could not be heard in the cheers of the multitude.

The waiting crowds became impatient watching for the returns, but it should be remembered that the polls did not close in the western states until 6 or 7 o'clock with us. In California the polls closed at 5 o'clock, but that corresponds to 9 o'clock Lowell.

The first reports from the west were received very slowly as might be expected and almost before there was time to count the presidential vote in any state, the news was flashed over the wire that McKinley was elected. Before the polls were closed in some states, the republican leaders were out with claims that McKinley had carried most of the doubtful states.

The democrats remained "unterrified" and cheered the returns until the lateness of the hour and then the to them, unsatisfactory character of the reports led them to turn homeward downcast and discouraged. They felt that their champion had lost the fight, despite the gallant character of his campaign. He may be defeated but he will remain the people's idol and if he lives he will yet be president.

The first returns were almost entirely false and the democrats on reading them exclaimed, "Who owns the telegraph companies?" "They can send out false reports but they cannot elect a president."

The New York Sun true to its splenetic instincts was the first to claim McKinley's election, the first to pronounce Bryan defeated. The N. Y. World came next and after them in quick succession the N. Y. Herald, the Boston Journal and all the organs of the gold standard denomination.

The waiting anxious crowds remained in the square until 12 o'clock, thousands of them even later and yet they went home in utter uncertainty as to who was elected president.

But the cumulative returns in McKinley's favor soon convinced the most sceptical that McKinley swept the country with a mighty sweep and that Bryan sustained an overwhelming defeat.

However, every good citizen bows to the inevitable and none can utter a word of dissent at the fiat of the sovereign people.

We have been promised that if McKinley were elected the mills would start up again, all the evils of the gold standard will disappear, wages will go up with leaps and bounds and there will be no more idleness, no more shut downs or cut downs, prosperity will return to remain while McKinley guides the ship of state, and now we look to see a speedy realization of these bright prognostications of better days to come.

Below will be found the result of the contests in which there was any interest. The votes of the gold democrats, the various Williams tickets, the populist and prohibition parties are presented in order that their strength may be shown.

The leading returns for this city are subjoined.

WARD ONE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	113	119	133	365
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	2	7	0	9
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	0	1	1
McKinley and Hobart, r	347	347	198	892
Palmer and Buckner, d n	3	10	3	16
Blanks	26		0	26
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	3	0	6
F. O. Prince, d n	15	8	5	28
Geo F. Williams, d	79	127	130	336
Geo. F. Williams, pop	22	2	1	25
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	4	10	7	21
Roger Wolcott, r	312	317	184	813
Blanks	61	52	42	145
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	117	139	139	395
W. Murray Crane, r	307	311	178	796
James McConnell, d n	3	6	3	11
Blanks	61	62	49	172
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	122	146	139	407
George E. Putnam, r	299	318	185	802
Blanks	77	69	45	176
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	274	279	147	700
John G. Gordon, d	119	151	148	421
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	138	153	159	450
Joseph E. Pattee, r	274	298	162	734
Edward T. Rowell, r	277	285	146	708
Rollin W. Stickney, d	149	165	173	487
Blanks	235	236	185	666
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	302	301	179	782
George A. Perkins, d	131	159	155	445
Blanks	59	63	36	158
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	119	156	152	427
William S. Knox, r	323	312	187	822
Blanks	50	65	31	136

WARD TWO.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	156	244	297	697
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	3	2	3	8
Bryan and Watson, pop	7	2	3	12
McKinley and Hobart r	201	73	85	358
Palmer and Buckner, d n	4	6	10	20
Blanks	50			
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	2	0	1	3
F. O. Prince, d n	12	8	6	26
Geo. F. Williams, d	147	272	285	704
Geo. F. Williams, pop	12	0	41	53
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	13	0	2	15
Roger Wolcott, r	183	65	73	321
Blanks	49	78	74	201
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	172	283	349	704
W. Murray Crane, r	164	53	63	280
Jas. McConnell, d n	4	0	11	24
Blanks	71	81	90	242
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	191	300	234	831
George E. Putnam, r	172	62	79	313
Blanks	58	57	63	178
Representatives 26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	163	44	64	268
John G. Gordon, d	192	304	342	838
Matthew M. Mansfield	218	324	349	891
Joseph E. Pattee, r	160	43	63	266
Edward T. Rowell, r	141	47	78	266
Rollin W. Stickney, d	170	294	327	791
Blanks	192	229	203	623
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	174	54	57	285
George A. Perkins, d	100	319	336	851
Blanks	51	65	74	180
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	203	320	338	861
William S. Knox, r	181	65	77	323
Blanks	37	43	61	

WARD THREE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	152	61	36	249
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	8	3	2	13
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	3	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	209	522	486	1217
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	6	5	10	21
Blanks	0	15	18	33
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	2	3	8
F. O. Prince, d. n	8	6	13	27
Geo. F. Williams, d	154	62	7	223
Geo. F. Williams, pop	13	0	7	20
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	17	3	19	39
Roger Wolcott, r	188	406	575	1161
Blanks	52	50	31	133
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	181	66	42	289
W. Murray Crane, r	177	485	465	1127
Jas McConnell, d. n	8	10	3	21
Blanks	67	57	36	160
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	194	76	38	308
George E. Putnam, r	198	481	462	1141
Blanks	45	65	55	165
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	163	443	427	1033
John G. Gordon, d	191	96	59	346
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	227	126	58	411
Joseph E. Pattee, r	153	436	411	1000
Edward T. Rowell, r	154	423	431	1008
Rollin W. Stickney, d	103	110	71	284
Blanks	223	236	217	676
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	178	447	457	1082
George A. Perkins, d	209	93	38	341
Blanks	56	49	45	151
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	201	83	61	345
William S. Knox, r	195	494	462	1151
Blanks	41	45	33	119

WARD FOUR.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	170	231	341	742
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	5	6	14	25
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	2	5
McKinley and Hobart, r	224	154	150	528
Palmer and Buckner, d n	5	2	5	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	0	0	2	2
F. O. Prince, d n	10	6	18	34
Geo F. Williams, d	175	230	343	748
Geo. F. Williams, pop	6	3	7	16
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	21	36	45	102
Roger Wolcott, r	217	136	117	470
Blanks	37	55	57	149
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	205	263	402	875
W. Murray Crane, r	200	134	106	440
J. McConnell, d n	8	6	21	37
Blanks	58	68	64	180
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	202	291	427	920
George E. Putnam, r	224	141	114	479
Blanks	45	36	54	135
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	102	270	368	739
John F. Conroy, d	191	283	415	889
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	190	118	91	399
Wm. A. Lang, r	190	110	87	387
James P. Ramsay, r	212	131	142	485
Chas. W. Whitman, d	190	283	391	873
Blanks	240	269	201	710
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	210	128	107	445
George A. Perkins, d	211	260	439	910
Blanks	5	50	49	149
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	219	289	435	943
Wm. S. Knox, r	214	141	122	477
Blanks	35	28	36	114

WARD FIVE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall d	292	277	224	793
Bryan and Sewall d Bryan	28	5	3	36
Bryan and Watson pop	1	0	2	3
McKinley and Hobart r	185	169	125	479
Palmer and Buckner d n	2	7	2	11
Governor.				
Allen Coffin pro	3	0	0	3
F. O. Prince d n	10	11	10	31
Geo. F. Williams d	191	260	219	670
Geo. F. Williams pop	22	8	6	36
Geo. F. Williams d Bryan	5	38	21	64
Roger Wolcott r	165	150	111	426
Blanks	57	58	66	181
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan d	218	298	249	765
W. Murray Crane r	156	136	93	385
Jas. McConnell d n	9	15	7	31
Blanks	71	81	84	236
Senator.				
William H. Brigham r	157	136	97	390
Alvan Fisher d	232	333	270	835
Blanks	68	83	64	209
Representatives—27th.				
Michael J. Coughlin d	229	319	272	820
Joseph F. Donohue d	274	350	286	910
Chas. E Hosmer r	148	126	88	362
Edward A. Stevens r	123	119	86	322
Blanks	229	136	140	416
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould r	160	140	106	406
George A. Perkins d	228	337	277	832
Blanks	89	85	53	207
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington d	233	318	281	832
William S. Knox r	185	107	118	465
Blanks	39	47	42	128

WARD SIX.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	78	170	175	423
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	5	4	10
Bryan and Watson, pop	3	1	0	4
McKinley and Hobart, r	520	268	208	997
Palmer and Buckner, d n	6	4	2	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	1	1	7
F. O. Prince, d n	4	6	10	20
Geo. F. Williams, d	52	173	164	389
Geo F. Williams, pop	1	4	1	6
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	25	28	19	72
Roger Wolcott, r	503	242	183	928
Blanks	52	52	72	156
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	74	197	183	454
W. Murray Crane, r	498	236	173	907
Jas. McConnell, d n	6	6	3	15
Blanks	40	58	87	185
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	74	203	202	479
George E. Putnam, r	508	242	194	943
Blanks	43	65	55	163
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	441	201	156	798
John G. Gordon, d	87	203	202	492
Mathew M. Mansfield, d	98	211	211	520
Joseph E. Pattee, r	428	191	148	767
Edward T. Rowell, r	460	227	169	856
Rollin W. Stickney, d	123	220	221	564
Blanks	238	274	248	768
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	420	243	214	847
George A. Perkins, d	95	217	169	481
Blanks	40	49	68	157
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	91	230	218	542
William S. Knox, r	607	241	190	937
Blanks	24	38	44	106

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	121	159	86	366
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	0	1	2
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	3	6
McKinley and Hobart, r	330	427	289	1046
Palmer and Buckner, d n	12	9	4	25
Blanks	61	31	0	92
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	5	3	13
F. O. Prince, d n	11	15	6	32
Geo. F. Williams, d	110	163	83	356
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	0	5	8
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	11	0	4	15
Roger Wolcott, r	318	400	283	1001
Blanks	52	46	40	138
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	147	181	95	423
W. Murray Crane, r	300	387	281	968
Jas. McConnell, d n	8	9	5	22
Blanks	57	43	45	145
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	153	191	98	442
George E. Putnam, r	318	387	286	989
Blanks	49	53	40	141
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	162	211	104	469
John F. Conroy, d	159	188	104	451
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	321	336	274	931
William A. Lang, r	288	309	210	807
James P. Ramsay, r	280	329	215	824
Chas. W. Whitman, d	155	223	126	504
Blanks	195	226	197	618
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	301	312	223	836
George A. Perkins, d	170	268	160	538
Blanks	46	51	41	138
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	177	191	118	486
William S. Knox, r	326	307	269	902
Blanks	34	43	37	114

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	41	43	123	207
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	29	6	2	37
Bryan and Watson, pop	2	1	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	419	536	381	1336
Palmer and Buckner, d n	9	5	10	24
Blanks		40	38	
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	4	7	6	17
F. O. Prince, d n	10	8	7	25
Geo. F. Williams, d	28	22	130	190
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	4	3	10
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	8	9	12	29
Roger Wolcott, r	430	516	353	1299
Blanks	40	39	44	120
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	45	47	134	226
W. Murray Crane, r	433	512	159	1104
Jas. McConnell, d n	7	7	2	16
Blanks		41	53	
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	53	54	143	250
George E. Putnam, r	430	524	358	1312
Blanks	42	38	54	
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	86	78	151	315
John F. Conroy, d	53	55	132	240
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	400	436	323	1199
Wm. A. Lang, r	420	484	307	1191
James P. Ramsay, r	344	418	257	1019
Chas. W. Whitman, d	110	122	196	428
Blanks	187	215	299	701
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	422	500	332	1260
George A. Perkins, d	73	68	178	320
Blanks	31	42	44	117
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	81	64	154	279
Wm. S. Knox, r	426	519	365	1310
Blanks	36	33	38	107

WARD NINE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	93	53	187	333
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	5	53	8	66
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	0	1	2
McKinley and Hobart, r	225	308	334	867
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	12	11	4	27
Blanks	8	53	0	61
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	1	2	6
F. O. Prince, d. n	13	13	14	40
Geo. F. Williams, d	78	108	171	357
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	3	3	7
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	26	5	26	57
Roger Wolcott, r	314	301	335	950
Blanks	35	31	55	121
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	123	130	210	463
W. Murray Crane, r	298	287	318	903
Jas. McConnell, d. n	7	11	15	33
Blanks	41	35	61	137
Senator.				
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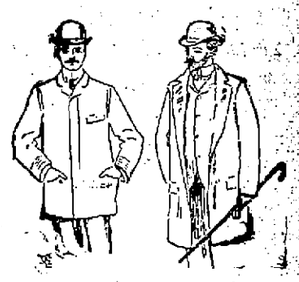

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SCARLET FEVER IN SCHOOL

BREAKS OUT IN THE HIGHLAND KINDERGARTEN.

There Are Several Children Stricken With the Malady.

The kindergarten in the Highland Congregational church has been badly broken up by scarlet fever. Already not less than half a dozen cases are reported, and it is feared that it may become epidemic. Lieutenant Kew's children were taken with the disease among the foremost, and the children of two other prominent citizens in the Highlands, have also been stricken. Investigation revealed the fact that several children were attending the kindergarten while suffering from a mild form of scarlet fever, and thus it was the disease spread. The kindergarten was closed for some days and fumigated, while the parents of the children were requested to have their little ones examined by their family physician lest they might be affected with the contagion. A doctor visits the kindergarten daily at present and examines the children carefully in order to guard against any further spread of the disease.

Chelmsford House Burned.

The house of Mrs. Mary J. Kearns in Chelmsford, situated on the plains, so called on the road from the Centre to this city, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The loss is $500 on the building. Cause unknown.

IN THE HOLY LAND.

American Catholics to Make a Pilgrimage to Palestine.

A number of American Catholics are being organized into a pilgrimage to the Holy Land on the plan of the American national pilgrimage to Rome and Lourdes during the last three years. The great success attending these pilgrimages suggested the organization of one to Palestine and the Holy Land. A number of the American hierarchy and the clergy have given the scheme a hearty approval.

As now arranged, it is expected to have 100 pilgrims embark on the North German Lloyd steamer Werra, leaving New York Jan. 16.

It is purposed to carry the stars and stripes to the Holy Land. The United States flag of silk, with the badge of the pilgrimage and the date 1897 embroidered thereon, will be the votive banner.

It will be carried in procession and deposited in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher in Jerusalem, there to remain.—Chicago Tribune.

The Forests of the West.

The government forestry commission has completed its work in the field, and its members returned to the east. The commissioners were designated by the National Academy of Sciences, at the request of the secretary of the interior, to examine the lands of the west and recommend a policy for their protection and preservation. The commission secured the cooperation of local scientists at points where the inquiry was carried on, copious notes of great value were taken and material secured which will be embodied in a voluminous forestry report, on whose compilation the commission is engaged.

A Serious Matter.

The Charleston News and Courier calls for the protection and preservation of the forests in North and South Carolina. If action is not speedily taken, it says, the streams will dry up and the industrial and agricultural interests of the two states will be seriously menaced.

Good News For Poker Players.

Unsuccessful poker players may now take heart. Dr. Rew, accused of bigamy, held four queens and was beaten.—New York Herald.

CARD FROM THE MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.

We desire to express our thanks to the public for the hearty response to our sale of Collin's Mills Kersey Coats received Saturday.

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Congressman Fitzgerald "Squoze" in again but will be lonely as heretofore.

Whew! ! ! It was a McKinley sweep, no doubt, now all the gold bugs in the country rejoice.

The masses are not sufficiently educated on the money question. It may take four years or more but they must come to free silver if this republic is destined to live and prosper.

Alas, alack Mr. Bryan you fought the good fight but your efforts were not appreciated. The people want longer talks than you can give from the rear platform of a car. They want to attend a financial school for a while, but they will get sufficient schooling in this question during the next four years.

Some cruel republican sends the following note to the Sun:

Mr. Editor—Please say whether you will have those bonfires that you said you were to have after election.

REPUBLICAN.

We lighted a fire this morning but it was not a bonfire and the attendance was neither large nor boisterous. One hod of coal was sufficient.

That is the only kind of fire we intend to light for some time.

"HAVE CONFIDENCE."

Confidence, gentlemen, confidence. Let everybody have confidence. The corporations are confident that McKinley will recoup them by bounties. Mark Hanna is confident that he will have things his own way. There will probably be a confidence bureau opened in the capitol from which the precious stuff will be dispensed. Tom Reed will, as usual, figure in the confidence game, and Mr. Hobart will put up the price of coal just to inspire confidence. Confidence, gentlemen. Don't mind whether you work or not. Have confidence; you're all right if you only have confidence.

FREE SILVER BEATEN.

Yesterday was a day of great anxiety for the candidates. The friends of free silver who have worked so hard during the campaign were greatly disappointed as the returns began to come in to find that the cause for which they were willing to sacrifice so much, received a temporary setback. The pivotal states were closely watched, and as the intelligence from Cook county indicated a majority for McKinley, every succeeding hour brought despatches that raised the hearts of the republicans, and depressed the democrats. The fondest hopes of electing Mr. Bryan were overcome by the power of money, the influence of the gold bugs, the threats and intimidation of large corporations such as railroads and other similar bodies throughout the country. When from forty thousand to one hundred thousand dollars was offered for the electoral vote of democratic or doubtful states, it is easy to see how Mr. Bryan was defeated. The want of funds for legitimate campaign expenses greatly hampered the democratic party throughout the country, and left the weight of the campaign to be borne mainly by Bryan himself. He did all that was possible for man to do, more perhaps than any other living man could do, but it was impossible with such slight assistance to overcome the enemy.

There is no doubt that free silver is bound to come, and we should not be surprised to see the republican party, including Mr. McKinley come out squarely for free silver before the close of the next presidential term.

One thing is certain that McKinley is a firm believer in free silver, and if a bill providing for free coinage be brought before him, we believe that he would not veto it. But of course that depends upon the wishes of Mr. Hanna, even more than the convictions of Mr. McKinley.

A QUEER TOAD HEAVEN

RELIGIOUS SECT IN OHIO WITH STRANGE CEREMONIES.

The Ancient Rite of Foot Laving Practiced There—What a Correspondent Witnessed on a Recent Visit to the Out of the Way Place.

The hamlet of Toad Heaven is away from the beaten path of commerce, in the extreme northwestern part of Jackson county in Ohio. Strangers seldom visit the place, and the members of Toad Heaven community are ignorant of the outer world.

The name of Toad Heaven applies to the hamlet, the community and to the unsightly log church where this singular religious sect worships. The dwellers of this strange community are ignorant and superstitious. They came originally from Virginia, where they were prominent among the uneducated natives known as poor white trash.

One who visited Toad Heaven recently says the religious ceremonies in vogue in the community are grotesque and highly sensational. Their "Amens" and "Praise the Lords" are loud enough to shake the hills, and every month a foot washing ceremony, called a "sacrament," is performed as one of the church rites, corresponding to the communion in civilized churches.

Upon a recent Sunday every member of the community present in the unsightly log church sat with bare feet, awaiting a signal from a leader to commence a ceremony much needed by many feet, which were being rubbed together under the seats. The men and women were armed with a towel, worn like a sash, and tin basin, which does service duty at home.

If a man's memory happened to be good, he would be able to remember a rather disjointed sermon delivered by an old man, who said in part: "I hain't prepared no discourse. The Lord says to his servants, 'Git up and deliver yo'self, an at the same hour I'll fill yo' mouth with utt'rance.' I hain't got no larnin and never went to school, but I know I am a chosen servant to plut the way to sinners. Some men who have larnin ain't Christians, an, if they don't reform, everlastin hell will be their sheer of the Lord's gifts. This foot washin of our'n ain't for the purpose of cleanin dirt from our feet, but it's a sacrymint handed down to his faithful followers, who washed his dicipules' feet and dried them with a towel at the Last Supper."

The orator, encouraged by a chorus of amens, further declared that while he was not "one o' yer polished, high toned, sruck up preachers with fine clothes an starchin collars an sinful souls," he was "able to preach truthe as the Lord puts 'em in my mouth." Then he preached on the text, "Where art thou?" He never found out, nor did his listeners know where he was, but his argument was superb. In his rambling talk he became frenzied.

The ceremonies of the foot washing followed the sermon. In one corner of the church was a barrel of rainwater, filled from the roof by a tin pipe let in through a window. To it each woman went and filled her basin. Then each man commenced singing a hymn, and each woman, choosing not her husband, but any brother she wished, laved his feet, one at a time, in the basin. Then she unwound the towel from her waist and wiped each foot dry. Then came the opportunity of the women to have their feet bathed by their brethren. The men went at it brusquely.

Each woman sat and sang.

After it all the members of the Toad Heaven sect sang a hymn and sought their miserable log cabin homes in the hills round about.—Chicago Tribune.

A POLITICIAN TESTED.

A Congressman Who Could Not Play Checkers to Suit Constituents.

"One of the ablest men in congress will lose a number of votes in his district in Georgia," said a department clerk to a Star reporter.

"A friend of mine wrote me some time ago that the judge was safe so far as his re-election was concerned, but my friend visited one of the back counties a few days ago and found that a decided change in sentiment had come about. He asked one of the political leaders:

"'What is the matter with the judge?'

"'He ain't no good.'

"'Why, what did he ever vote for that you are not in favor of?'

"'I dunno.'

"'Did he vote against anything you wanted passed?'

"'Not as I knows on.'

"'The newspapers all speak well of him.'

"'Newspapers is allus lyin.'

"'What is the matter?'

"'Wal,' he comed out here, an Tom Wilkins beat 'im playin checkers. Tom kain't play a little bit, an what kin o' a figger kin a man cut in congress who kain't play checkers better'n that?'"—Washington Star.

The Hose Was Like a Thing of Life.

A test was made the other afternoon at the parliament buildings by Chief Engineer Wickens of the fire apparatus with which the building is supplied. A hose was run from the basement out to the lawn at the north side, and with 160 pounds of pressure a stream was thrown from a 1⅛ inch nozzle to the roof. An amusing incident occurred when the test was being made. The 160 pounds of pressure proved too much for the two men who were directing the hose, and the nozzle took on that swaying motion which is due to the great pressure of water forward. The men hung on manfully, while the group of spectators jumped behind them, revolving as they revolved with the nozzle. Soon, however, they began whirling so quickly that it was impossible to keep behind them, and a wild rush for shelter took place among the spectators. One of the men holding the hose rolled over on his back, and the other dropped the hose and jumped out of harm's way, while the hose, victorious, tossed its brass nozzle hither and thither, spouting a heavy stream of water in every direction.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Does This Mean an Ocean Transit Trust?

Mr. Ismay, chairman of the White Star line of steamers, gave a dinner in London recently at the Reform club to the chairmen and managers of the Atlantic steamship lines. Messrs. Griscom, Edmund Taylor and Wilding represented the American line. The meeting discussed various trade questions.—New York World.

Jamaica Shuts Out Our Cattle.

The Jamaican authorities, on the strength of a report from an expert on cattle diseases, has issued an order prohibiting the importation until further notice of cattle and animals from the United States, Central and South America, the Leeward Islands, South Africa and Australia.

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THE NEW YORK ELECTIONS

HOW THE DAY IS CELEBRATED IN THE METROPOLIS.

Picturesque Holiday Sights of a Great City. To a Large Class of People This Is the One Great Day of the Year—The Floating Vote at the Polls.

Mr. Ernest Ingersoll has written for The Century a paper on "Election Day In New York." Mr. Ingersoll, after speaking of those who take advantage of the holiday to flock out of town, says:

Another class rejoice in this holiday as an opportunity to sit at home enjoying domestic comfort, reading in slippered ease the postponed book or fondling the pet hobby. The "people" call them "silk stockings," and have no fear of their beautifully modulated expressions of censure, because they rarely back it up by a vote.

Down at the polls they cannot understand this frame of mind. A certain number of citizens, to be sure, come, deposit their votes as quickly as possible and go away with an attitude of having performed a disagreeable duty. But to the many who are more or less visible there all day this is the most important occasion of the year, and there is hardly anything they would not rather do than miss it. To be sure, it may be worth a few dollars to them, directly or indirectly, but plainly they look further than this and have a hazy sense of the dignity of the act, comparable to the fetich worshiper's notion of religion. They are not ignorant, foreign, dollar a day laborers, stupid and besotted with liquor, but men earning wages enough to enable them to pay their footing in the barroom club, and having sufficient brains to make them serviceable to their "captain." Alert with the keenness of the street, knowing everybody, and feeling above none, they are wholly devoted to "the cause" as long as they get fair treatment.

It is these men who make the voting places picturesque. In rough garb and with lordly swagger they sandwich themselves between neat and dignified lawyers, merchants and clergymen, proudly sensible of their equality at the polls. Sometimes the motley line reaches out of doors and down the street. As soon as one has voted he joins the loiterers outside and pompously lights a cigar, scornful of the black pipe more familiar to his teeth.

In the afternoon the brisk captain, who has been dodging all day from poll to poll, obtains an approximate list of those of his side who have not yet voted, and dispatches workers to "bring them out." They search their haunts, and presently return with recruits. Some of these delinquents have simply been tardy, others are sick or lame or blind, and are gently conducted to the polls, perhaps in a carriage, placed in the line, and carefully assisted to the ballot box. The attention he gets on election day is a genuine comfort to many a poor devil kicked about all the rest of the year. Now and then a henchman seizes a captain and whispers portentously in his ear. A moment later he hurries off, looking very important, and soon reappears with a companion, who is sent on alone, while he himself stays back at the corner. This means that some voter has been ascertained to be out of town or sick abed, and that a willing and thrifty stranger has come to vote (illegally) in his name. This is only one of many tricks election officers and watchers must guard against toward the end of the day, and sometimes at a cost to the latter of no small courage, for whisky emboldens the roughest workers to try to "stand on his head" any one who interferes with them.

The day wears on—Sunday without the churches, a gray day in every sense of the word. In the lower wards, where folks are close enough together to feel one another's warmth and where it really matters whether Mike O'Farron or Barney Cadigan is to be alderman or coroner, each crossroads has an excited crowd, but up town the side streets are deserted, and even Broadway and Fifth avenue are dead.

The first to break the silence are the boys crying the afternoon papers, but there is nothing in them except clever guesswork, unless the tension factions at some polling place or the wild foolishness of a tipsy worker has brought on a fight or two. Election day rows are now remarkably rare in New York.

Loiterers increase about the polling places, and voters crowd forward, fearful lest they be too late. The weary inspectors and clerks must now work harder than ever, and the watchers watch their very best. This is the time when the schemer gathers results—gets in his fine work, as he would tell you. Men present themselves with specious claims, politicians bulldoze, and it is only the most determined guardian of the purity of the ballot who in this last hour can withstand the pressure. It happened in several districts in 1894, when the voter was called upon to fold and select from 28 ballots, that there was not time enough in the day for all those entitled to the franchise to reach the ballot box, and voting twice in one place was out of the question.

America's Need of Cavalry.

Discussing the possibilities of a war with England and the strength of the United States militia or national guard, some of our newspapers lately boasted that an army of 100,000 men could be thrown into Canada within a few weeks. How many of these men would be mounted on horseback? It is a very pertinent inquiry, for it requires from three to six months' training to make a cavalryman, and some of the states which furnish large contingents to the national guard have not a single troop of horse. If there is any lesson that the failure of the Confederacy can teach us, it is this: That an invasion of Canada—and I do not mean that such a thing is in the least probable or desirable—made without sufficient cavalry would be as barren of permanent results as it would be if made with an army of crossbowmen.—"Why the Confederacy Failed," by Duncan Rose, in November Century.

Paid For In Rabbits.

Asbury Pollitt, a farmer living in the eastern part of Mason county, Ky., started for Maysville on the family nag. On the way he met Bud Siley, a hunter. In the course of conversation Pollitt told Siley he wanted to sell his horse. Thereupon Siley offered Pollitt one dozen and a half rabbits which he had killed that morning. Pollitt accepted the offer. This is the lowest price on record for a Kentucky horse.

Watches For Police Bonds.

Watches are accepted as security for fines by the police courts of Knoxville, and 40 unredeemed ones, held for two years, are to be sold at auction by the city.

Wise Weyler.

Weyler was wise anyway. No one will deny that the best thing to do is to conquer Cuba before tackling the United States.—Chicago Post.

Made In Germany.

"Yes," continued the manager of the wild west show modestly, "that is quite a warwhoop. Our solo Indians were all educated in Germany, you know?"—Detroit Tribune.

SUNBEAMS.

Two Freaks, Perhaps.

This is not the famous two headed museum freak, but the Whizzer sisters on a tandem.—Wheel.

How it Failed.

"And you four brothers were named Edmund, Edgar, Edward and Edwin, were you? What could have been your parents object in that?"

"They wanted to keep us from ever being nicknamed."

"Did it have that effect?"

"Not exactly. We've always been called Chuck, Snorkey, Flipps and Pilgarlic."—Chicago Tribune.

From a Dime Novel.

The heavy hand of Terrible Tom came down with a resounding thwack on the stooping shoulders of the aged miser.

"Ah, ha!" exclaimed the desperado in exultant tones. "At last I have you in my power!"

A silent struggle for life and death commenced.

Tottering on the brink of the awful chasm, the two forms swayed hither and thither. At times they could be seen swaying here and there.

The aged miser was old, but not young. Nevertheless he was nervy.

Aha!

Over the brink they go, crashing on to rock and crag, until their crushed and crumbled corpses land with two distinct soft and thickening duds at the bottom of the precipitate precipice, 43,000 feet below.

There they continued the struggle.—New York Sunday World.

No Exceptions to This Rule.

It was a fidgety, funny, middle aged woman who stopped to the window of the Central railroad ticket office at 10:30 the other morning and inquired the time the next train left for Rome. "The next train leaves at 10:52," courteously responded Assistant Ticket Agent Hennessy. "Has it gone yet?" queried the woman. "No," quietly answered Mr. Hennessy. "The next train has never gone."—Utica Observer.

Mission Ship Dayspring Lost.

The missionary ship Dayspring has been wrecked on a rock north of New Caledonia island. The captain and seven men escaped in a boat, but the remaining nine persons who were on board are supposed to have perished.

MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

AFRAID SOMETHING DREADFUL IS GOING TO HAPPEN.

How a Little Baby Girl Rolled the Clouds Away.

Of course a woman will naturally see the dark side of everything when tortured by some form of female disease, which her doctor cannot or does not relieve. No wonder she is melancholy when head and back ache, pains run through the whole body and loins, nerves are weak, stomach out of order, digestion poor, sense of fullness and bearing-down, poor sleep and appetite, always weak and tired, irregular menstruation, whites, etc.

She probably is not so fortunate as to know that all female ailments are indicated by these never failing symptoms, and are controlled by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; all female weaknesses quickly disappear by its use. It has been the thinking woman's safeguard for twenty years, and all druggists sell large quantities of it because it can be relied upon.

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For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and the Provinces, 5.10 p. m., except Saturday. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, 8.30. a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

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For Boston, 5.48, 6.33, ¶6.53, 7.01, 7.18, *7.27, 7.33, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03, *9.30, 11.03, 11.42 a. m. 12.16, 1.43, *3.03, *3.55, 4.03, 4.28, 5.22, 5.38, 6.21, 7.51 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, *7.27, 8.48, *9.19 a. m.; 4.25, 5.55 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, 7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.25, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., 4.26, 5.58 p. m.

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For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15 p. m.

For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.13 a. m.; 1.00, 5.43, 7.10 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Hennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 5.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.13, 9.40, 10.09 a. m; 12.09, 1.00, 1.40, 5.43, 5.40, 6.17, 8.13, 8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only) 5.08 a.m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.40 p.m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.40 a. m; 12.09, 1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, *8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River—9.40 a.m; 1.40, 8.40 p. m.

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for probate, by William A. Hogan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear, at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Daily Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

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AS YET UNDECIDED

Nebraska is Still Involved in Doubt.

CLOSE CONTESTS IN THE FAR WEST.

Electoral Vote and Complexion of Congress.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Chairman Post of the Republican state committee claims the state for McKinley by a majority of from 7000 to 8000. "We have," he says, "received very scattering returns, and it is impossible to give anything like accurate figures." McKinley's majority in Lincoln is 1018. The city has generally been Republican by a considerably larger vote.

While Chairman Post is still publicly claiming the state for McKinley, attaches of his headquarters say that he really regards the state as doubtful, and possibly as lost. Returns so far received are so meagre as to render it impossible to give a very intelligent opinion, but so far as they go, they indicate sufficient to give the state to Bryan by about 6000, if maintained, the majority will certainly be very small either way. Chairman Manahan of the Lancaster county Democratic committee predicts 20,000 Democratic majority, and says he is supported in this claim by the fusion state chairman. He says the Lincoln majority is a loss to the Republicans of 1500, and that the full returns from the county precincts outside the city will reduce McKinley's majority to about 300. Manahan expresses the belief that the fusionists will elect six congressmen from Nebraska. He asserts that Bradley is certainly elected from this, the First, district.

Omaha, Nov. 4.—Returns from Nebraska precincts are still very meagre, but indicate that McKinley has carried Nebraska. Eighty-seven precincts in Nebraska, outside of Omaha, give McKinley 10,476, Bryan 9080.

MINNESOTA'S LANDSLIDE.

Lind May Come Out Safely From the Republican Avalanche.

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—Every county so far reporting gives a big McKinley majority. The only man on the Democratic state ticket who has a chance of election is Lind, for whom the Scandinavians have voted very extensively. Lind, however, seems to be buried under the McKinley avalanche. It is a clean Republican sweep on congressmen, except the Seventh district.

COLORADO FOR BRYAN.

Plurality of the Silver Candidates May Reach 100,000.

Denver, Nov. 4.—The vote is reported to be about the same as two years ago (180,000). There is no question of the election of the Bryan and Sewall electors by over 100,000 plurality. State chairman of the Silver Republicans claims the election of Adams, Democratic-Silver-Republican candidate for governor, by 140,000 plurality.

IN DOUBTFUL COLUMN.

Both Sides Claim a Majority of Votes In Oregon.

Portland, Or., Nov. 4.—Chairman Hirsch of the Republican committee says McKinley may carry this city by 5000 and the state by 5000 to 10,000. The fusionists concede McKinley 2500 in this city, but claim the Bryan majority in the state will wipe this out and leave Bryan's majority 5000.

VOTE IS CLOSE.

Result In Washington Uncertain, With Fusionists Claiming Everything.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—The vote is very heavy. Indications point to Republican gains, but the vote will be close. Republicans expect to elect at least one of the two congressmen. The fusionists continue to claim everything by large majorities, while the Republican state headquarters are confident of a small plurality.

SLOW COUNTING.

Result In Utah Uncertain, but It Favors Bryan.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4.—It will be late tonight before the count can be completed. Indications are now that Bryan has carried the state by at least 10,000 majority. The legislature, which will elect a United States senator, is still claimed by both parties.

M'KINLEY OR BRYAN?

Chances Are About Even For Either Carrying the Lone Star State.

Dallas, Nov. 4.—Reports from 60 chairmen indicate McKinley has carried Texas.

Slow Counting In Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—It is doubtful if the complete returns for St. Louis will be received before tonight. Only 68 out of 426 precincts have been returned, and five out of 28 wards in the city have not been heard from at all. The returns from the state outside the city of St. Louis are even more meagre and incomplete.

Republicans Concede Montana.

Helena, Mon., Nov. 4.—Chairman Herschfeld of the Republican state executive committee conceded the state to the fusion ticket. The Republicans may elect a few county officers in wool growing districts. The legislature will be Democratic without doubt.

Clean Sweep For Democrats.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Returns are coming in slowly, but indications are that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, electing the entire congressional delegation, and that Bryan has carried the state by not less than 30,000 majority.

Confusion In Kansas.

Topeka, Nov. 4.—As there are 10 tickets in Kansas, in some places the count under the Australian ballot system is very slow. Estimates by Republican state chairman indicate that the state will go safely for McKinley. He will not give out figures.

"Fraud and Violence."

Atlanta, Nov. 4.—A. E. Buck, chairman of the Republican state central committee of Georgia, says: "Fraud and violence prevail in portions of the state. The returns are slowly coming in. The Democratic majority in Georgia is largely reduced. It may not exceed 10,000.

The Golden State.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The Republican state committee say their reports show gains for Republican ticket, and claim this state by a decided majority. The vote from Democratic districts in this city, so far as counted, show Republican gains.

Wisconsin For McKinley.

Milwaukee, Nov. 4.—National Committeeman E. C. Wall and State Central Committeeman Peck of the Democratic party concede that Wisconsin will go Republican between 50,000 and 75,000.

From Idaho.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Senator Fred F. Dubois wires from Blackfoot, Ida., as follows: "Ihado will give at least five to one for Bryan.

INTERESTING FIGURES

Showing Electoral Vote and Probable Complexion of Next Congress.

The Electoral Vote.

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Dbt'fl.
Alabama	..	11	..
Arkansas	..	8	..
California	..	9	..
Colorado	..	4	..
Connecticut	6	..	..
Delaware	3	..	..
Florida	..	4	..
Georgia	..	13	..
Idaho	..	3	..
Illinois	24	..	..
Indiana	15	..	..
Iowa	13	..	..
Kansas	10	..	..
Kentucky	13	..	..
Louisiana	..	8	..
Maine	6	..	..
Maryland	8	..	..
Massachusetts	15	..	..
Michigan	14	..	..
Minnesota	9	..	..
Mississippi	..	9	..
Missouri	..	17	..
Montana	..	3	..
Nebraska	8	..	..
Nevada	..	3	..
New Hampshire	4	..	..
New Jersey	10	..	..
New York	36	..	..
North Carolina	..	11	..
North Dakota	..	..	3
Ohio	23	..	..
Oregon	4	..	..
Pennsylvania	32	..	..
Rhode Island	4	..	..
South Carolina	..	9	..
South Dakota	4	..	..
Tennessee	..	12	..
Texas	..	15	..
Utah	..	..	3
Vermont	4	..	..
Virginia	..	12	..
Washington	4	..	..
West Virginia	..	..	6
Wisconsin	12	..	..
Wyoming	..	..	3
	281	151	15
Total electoral votes			447
Necessary to elect			224

The Next Congress.
(Estimated from latest returns.)

	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama	..	9
Arkansas	..	6
California	5	2
Colorado	..	2
Connecticut	4	..
Delaware	1	..
Florida	..	2
Georgia	..	11
Idaho	..	1
Illinois	18	4
Indiana	9	4
Iowa	9	2
Kansas	6	2
Kentucky	7	4
Louisiana	..	6
Maine	4	..
Maryland	6	..
Massachusetts	12	1
Michigan	9	2
Minnesota	6	1
Mississippi	..	6
Missouri	8	7
Montana	..	1
Nebraska	2	4
Nevada	..	1
New Hampshire	2	..
New Jersey	8	..
New York	29	5
North Carolina	..	9
North Dakota	1	..
Ohio	19	2
Oregon	2	..
Pennsylvania	27	3
Rhode Island	2	..
South Carolina	..	7
South Dakota	2	..
Tennessee	4	6
Texas	..	13
Utah	..	1
Vermont	2	..
Virginia	..	10
Washington	2	..
West Virginia	..	4
Wisconsin	10	..
Wyoming	..	1
Arizona	..	1
New Mexico	..	1
Oklahoma	..	1
Totals	213	143

At McKinley's Home.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—At 9 o'clock Major McKinley received a telegram of congratulation from Mr. Hobart, his associate on the national ticket, as follows: "Congratulations with all my heart on the glorious achievement under your magnificent leadership. The manhood of the republic has asserted itself, and the nation's honor and integrity will never again be assailed by the same forces. Mrs. Hobart joins me in congratulations."

Major McKinley, at 10:45 p. m., received the following telephone message from Chairman Hanna from Cleveland: "The feeling here beggars description. The boys at the Union club send love and hearty congratulations. You are elected to the highest office of the land by a people who have always loved and trusted you."

At 1:30 o'clock the din about the McKinley cottage was as deafening as ever. The interior of the house looked as though an army had marched through it, being littered with debris. The crowd had gone, but a few of Major McKinley's close associates remained with him in the dining room, where coffee was served over the late returns.

At 12:30 McKinley received a tremendous ovation from his Canton townspeople. He took a position on top of the porch of his residence, and waved his salutations to the enthusiastic concourse. The midnight was light as day by hundreds of flambeau and blazing fires of red and green. Major McKinley made no address. For an hour the remarkable spectacle proceeded.

Bryan Has Hope.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bryan's immediate friends said that at midnight he did not consider the case as definitely lost, but that, on the contrary, he considered that there ws still ground for hope of his success. He had expected that the first returns, being from th large cities, would be against him. He left orders that the principal bulletins be sent to his room and he read them there, manifesting special interest in the reports from Nebraska. Mrs. Bryan did not lose her customary cheerfulness in the face of the adverse reports, and she appeared well prepared for the worst, though evidently not devoid of hope for better fortune than the reports appeared to show. She retired at 10 o'clock, leaving the entertainment of her guests to the friends who had assembled.

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ALTGELD DOWNED

Beneath Avalanche of Votes in Illinois.

RESULT OF BATTLE IN THE MIDDLE WEST

Ends Generally in Favor of McKinley.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley and Tanner have carried Illinois by over 100,000. Tanner is running ahead of his ticket, but somewhat behind McKinley. Chairman Hitch of the Republican state central committee said: "It has all gone for McKinley and Tanner by 125,000. Tanner is running way ahead of his ticket."

Captain John R. Tanner arrived at the Republican headquarters at the Great Northern hotel and was immediately congratulated as the next governor of Illinois. He said: "McKinley and I have carried the state by considerable over 100,000 majority."

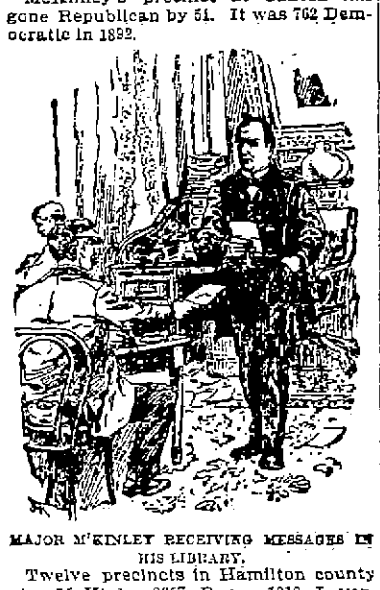
Chairman Hinrichson of the Democratic state committee conceded Cook county to McKinley [illegible], and admitted that the indications point to the rest of the state going the same way.

THE BUCKEYE STATE.

Indications That McKinley's Lead May Reach 65,000 Mark.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Twenty-one city precincts give McKinley 3743; Bryan, 2403, a Republican gain of 40 in each precinct.

McKinley's precinct at Canton has gone Republican by 51. It was 762 Democratic in 1892.



MAJOR M'KINLEY RECEIVING MESSAGES IN HIS LIBRARY.

Twelve precincts in Hamilton county give McKinley 2307; Bryan, 1919; Levering, 3.

Thirteen precincts in Toledo give McKinley 2327; Bryan, 1649.

The Cincinnati Post claims McKinley carries Ohio by 65,000.

GIVEN TO M'KINLEY.

Democrats Admit That They Are Beaten In Michigan.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—It is generally conceded that Michigan has gone Republican by from 25,000 to 50,000 plurality. The latter is the figure given out by Chairman Ferry of the Republican state committee. Secretary Alward of the Republican committee claims the election of all 12 congressmen, but the Democrats still hope to save some of their candidates. The Detroit Tribune (free silver), on the basis of scattering returns thus far received, estimates McKinley's plurality in the state, outside of this county, at 29,000. The upper peninsula went strongly for McKinley, and from present indications the lower peninsula will do likewise.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Chairman Ferry of the Republican state central committee claims the state for McKinley by 50,000 plurality, and 10 out of 12 congressmen. He concedes two to be in doubt.

IN OLD KENTUCKY.

McKinley Wins and Republicans and Silverites Are Surprised.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 4.—Latest news from the state indicates that McKinley will carry the state by a much greater majority than Bradley carried it in 1895, for governor. The state will probably give McKinley 25,000 to 30,000. The result is a great surprise to the silver leaders, and the size of the result is a surprise to the gold standard men. Not much news has been heard from the westers part of the state, where free silver is strongest, but the increased Republican majority in the central and eastern parts put the state beyond question in the gold standard column.

IOWA IN LINE.

Plurality For McKinley May Yet Reach the 100,000 Mark.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—Indications here are that Iowa will give McKinley a plurality of 80,000 or 100,000. The returns are coming in slowly, however. Gains are reported in almost every instance.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—The Register (Rep.) claims that the state will give McKinley over 60,000 plurality, and elect an entire Republican congressional delegation.

The Democratic state central committee concedes Iowa to McKinley.

VOTE OF HOOSIERS

Showed That They Preferred McKinley to Bryan.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Indiana will give McKinley a plurality of 30,000. 11 Republican congressmen will be elected, and two are in doubt. The Republicans will carry both branches of the legislatures by a safe majority. Eighty precincts in Indiana give McKinley 8877, Bryan, 6934; Palmer, 23, a net Republican gain of 822 over '92.

WATSON FROZEN OUT.

Mississippi Gave a Big Majority For the Democratic Ticket.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi gives Bryan a majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000. Seven Democratic candidates for congress are elected by majorities ranging from 1000 to 5000.

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ON AN ELECTION NIGHT

HOW A NEWSPAPER HANDLES RETURNS.

Results Attained Only After Weeks of Preparation—Getting the Figures, Tabulating Them and Going to Press—Busy Scenes In Every Department of the Paper.

How a newspaper "covers" a presidential election is to most people a problem and a puzzle. Briefly, it makes preparations commensurate to the size of the task, employs the most trusted agencies obtainable, spends money without stint to secure early and late returns, tabulates them and displays them in the most attractive form, describes in a telling way the "story" of election day, comments on the results on its editorial page and goes to press and is on the streets at the earliest moment possible. The details are almost numberless, but no great newspaper neglects them.

Preparation is as necessary in "covering" an election as is fire apparatus in putting out a fire. Here is what a paper like the Chicago Tribune sets out to do:

First.—Print telegrams from every state in the Union showing the vote for president, giving in the case of the more important states the vote by counties and arrange the net results in an electoral table prominently displayed where it will attract the reader's eye, and, next to the headlines, tell the main story of the election.

Second.—Print similar telegrams regarding the fate of the various state tickets, displaying the names of the successful candidates under the headings for the different states.

Third.—Ascertain the political complexion of newly elected legislatures and show at a glance the political standing of the next United States senate.

Fourth.—Print the congressional returns and present a table showing the standing of the new house of representatives and a complete and correct list of members.

Fifth.—Pay special attention to the legislature of its own state, printing the returns and similar tables and lists of the new state senate and house of representatives.

The earliest returns on election night come in the shape of bulletins from scattered sections of the country, and when intelligently compared with the vote of the previous election show the general drift of things in those sections. The political editor, who has an important place in the telegraph room of the newspaper on election night, has the vote of 1892 where it can be consulted instantly. A steady percentage of gain for one side or the other in the precincts heard from is of the greatest significance to him, enabling him to forecast with reasonable accuracy the result in a given state. His assistants, generally expert accountants, under his immediate supervision, are prepared to co-operate with him in some prearranged division of the work. The political editor himself, for instance, probably devotes himself to ascertaining and tabulating the results, while his colaborers "handle" the United States senate, the lower house of congress and the legislature. It should be explained here that the duties of this particular corps of figurers and tabulators do not include the preparation of the dispatches for the printer. They will merely glance at the returns, take off the figures they need and pass them back to the telegraph editors, whose business it is to read and "head" them and send them to the composing room.

In addition to the usual staff of reporters it was found necessary formerly to employ a small army of expert accountants to "help out" on election night by keeping tally of the votes and computing totals. These were engaged in advance, and their services were in demand not only on election night, but often for several nights afterward in tabulating the revised figures. Under this year's system the necessity for extra help, so far as the newspapers directly are concerned, was largely reduced. The small army of accountants will be employed by and work for the City Press association, thereby simplifying the task of the newspapers.

Of course no big paper goes to press the morning after an election without a telling cartoon on its first page, pictures and sketches of the new president and vice president and other prominent winners, and interviews with and gossip concerning the successful and losing candidates, their bearing under victory or defeat and their future plans. All these things must be arranged for in advance, even if it be necessary to have two cartoons ready, each telling a different story, but one of them "warranted to fit."

Another important adjunct of the work on election night is the reception and display of bulletins to the thousands that crowd about the newspaper offices. No one who has ever witnessed the brilliant illumination about the Chicago Tribune building at such times and the latest returns flashed by a stereopticon on an immense screen across the way will forget the scene or the enthusiasm of such portions of the crowd as were pleased with the results at the ballot box. The bulletin service must be engaged in advance, and all the accessories provided, and the paper that fails to meet these expectations is forthwith voted a back number.

It is 5 o'clock election afternoon, and as the polls close at 4 in Chicago the night and telegraph editors, the political editor, the city editor and his assistants, and the expert accountants and department men who aid both the telegraph and local forces election night are already at their desks getting everything into shape for a long siege. Owing to the difference in time, returns from the east come in earlier than those from the west. Significant "straws" may have been received from New England, New York and other states along the Atlantic in the form of early bulletins, which are hurried to the stereopticon room and thrown on the screen across the street. The first installment of the crowd about the building has gathered, and while it is not as noisy as it will be later on it is sufficiently enthusiastic for a starter. City precinct bulletins are coming in now and being displayed on the screen, and the crowd is warming up. Then comes another batch from the east or from Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and points in Illinois, and though it is still early the tin horn is in evidence and the grip car man has to feel his way through the crowd. By and by the returns take on a more definite character, and the statisticians in the telegraph and local rooms buckle down to real work. The receiver at the pneumatic tubes is doing business now, every moment or two bringing a small, cylinder shaped, leather covered box within which are returns from one to a dozen different points—local or outside. In the telegraph operators' room quick fingers are transcribing on typewriters what a dozen special correspondents here and there, hundreds or thousands of miles away, are sending over the wires. The blanks in the hands of the political editor and his assistants are slowly filling up, the telegraph editors are sending to the composing room miscellaneous copy and election dispatches other than returns, and the typesetting machines transform it into glittering lines of type. Later these metal lines help to fill the columns and pages of the great day after election paper.

Down stairs in the local room they have already received a number of complete ward, precinct and country town tables. The totals are taken off for the presidential, gubernatorial and other tables, and the "flimsy" copy rushed up stairs to be put in type.

It is the next thing to impossible election night to get total votes from all over the country outside of the large cities, where the methods of counting and of transmitting results are much more rapid than in rural communities. In fact, so largely do the first night's returns consist of more or less accurate estimates of pluralities that the best a newspaper can do, at least in its first edition, is to print plurality tables. If not in its second edition, then in its first edition of the following day the reader will get uniformly the showing of total votes received by the opposing candidates, with the pluralities as figured out.

The editorial writers go home even somewhat earlier than usual the afternoon of election day, but they make up for it at night, when their presence is required at the office to comment on the all absorbing news as it finally crystallizes into ascertained facts. Generally an extra plate of the editorial page is required in the second edition to correct some of the earlier figures and make them agree with those received later and which will appear in the news columns.

The composing room is a fairly lively place any night, but election night sees it at its liveliest, especially after 9 or 10 o'clock. When election "copy" begins to come up, it comes in almost an uninterrupted rush until the finish. Never is the composing room system of classification and expedition put to a severer test, and never are the "make up" men more thankful for the invention of machine set instead of hand set type, especially when it comes to putting tabular matter into the forms. The press and mailing rooms—always busy places—are busier than usual election night, for the demand for extra papers is always enormous and necessitates an increased force in both departments to meet it.

The liveliest part of election night is the period between the first and second editions, or from 1 to 3 a. m. After the force of editors, reporters and statisticians have snatched a hasty lunch of sandwiches and coffee brought in from a down town restaurant they resume work on the returns still piling up before them. Consulting the proofs of the matter sent out and put in type earlier, they strike out here, insert new figures there, kill a heading and write a new one, change totals to conform to changes in the tables, cut down articles to fit them to required spaces and continue to send out new matter in the shape of later dispatches or new tables. Meanwhile the night editor is scheming out the arrangement of his "open" pages for the second edition, seeking to improve the old order and to present the newest and most important developments in the most conspicuous way. While in the midst of "making up" he shuts off the supply of "copy" to be set for the second edition and orders whatever is to come marked "extra" if it proves of sufficient importance to warrant another edition. Finally, about 3 o'clock, after pinching an article here, adding a piece of election matter there, to fill a column and using his miscellaneous short news pieces to fill holes, he sends the paper to press. It is a tradition that the average night editor "sweats blood" on divers and sundry occasions and that his temper, at least during working hours, is not exactly angelic. If there is anything that might justify this impression, it would be his exasperating experiences on election night.—Chicago Tribune.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Wholesale Methods of Indians In Puget Sound.

The annual fall slaughter of the herds of deer that for centuries have lived practically unmolested on the many small islands in Puget sound has commenced. Last year three bands of pot hunters shipped several hundred deer to the neighboring markets and lessened the size of the herds very materially. Most of these hunters were Indians from the Tulalip reservation at the mouth of the Snohomish river.

The trade last year proved so profitable to the Indian managers, Jack Moses and Long Charley, that they have hired a number of Indians for three months and taken up their headquarters at Holmes harbor on Whidby island. They are well equipped with guns and have a pack of 20 excellent hounds. From this point they send out boats with men and hounds to the surrounding islands, and a rented steam launch brings their game to market. This wholesale hunting will undoubtedly destroy the entire herds. This slaughter is in direct violation of state game laws.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Self Rocking Chair.

At the residence of Charles Hammond in Columbus, O., there is considerable uneasiness over the mysterious actions of a certain rocking chair which seems endowed with certain supernatural powers. With no one near the chair will begin to rock to and fro, and this has not only been noticed by Mrs. Hammond, but by her mother, who was on a visit and knew nothing of any unusual manifestations.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Confidence.

Dah's one t'ing 'bout dis country, an I tells yo' dis foh sho'—
She's boun ter come out safely, oz she's allus done befo'.
We's gwinter feel de same ole sense ob proudness when we sees
De stahs an stripes a-shinin an a-billowin in de breeze.
Yo' kin allus fin some floaters on de tide ob eloquence,
But it's hahd ter make it big enough ter drown dah common sense.
Yo' kin 'pend upon er nation foh ter stan mos' any test
When do people keeps a-hopin en a-tryin foh de best.

An f'um de no'thern waters, whah de chilly breezes blow,
Ter de summer time dat lingers roun de gulf ob Mexico,
Yo'll fin de one opinion dat'll never go astray—
Dis country is earth's greatest, an we'll keep it dat-a-way.
Yo' kain't mislead wif coaxin, an dey wakes up f'um de dreams
Dat dey sometimes lapses inter fro' some hypnotizin schemes.
We's boun ter be one fam'ly f'um de east cl'ar fro' de west,
While de people keeps a hopin an a-tryin foh de best.

—Washington Star.

Too Late.

De Sappy—When I was a child, I had a fall that knocked me senseless.

Miss Pert—I suppose it is too late now to do anything about it.—Town Topics.

Patrick's Observation.

"How odd it is!" said Pat as he trudged along on foot one sultry day, "that a man never meets a cart going the same way as he is!"—Household Words.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

A FATAL COINCIDENCE.

Bishop Waine and Wife Found Dead Today in Dublin.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Dublin, Nov. 3.—Rt. Rev. Frederick W. Waine, D. D., Episcopal bishop of Dublin, was found dead at 5.30 this morning on the sidewalk near his residence here. His wife was found dead in bed soon after the bishop's body was discovered on the sidewalk.

Investigation shows that for some time the bishop's wife has been in poor health. He started out about 5.30 this morning and fell down dead near his residence. His wife must have died nearly at the same time.

Bank President Dead.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Amesbury, Mass., Nov. 3.—Hon. Wm. G. Ellis, president of the Amesbury National bank and the Amesbury Electric Light Co., died this morning after a long illness, aged 64 years.

The Castles Indicted.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

London, Nov. 3.—The grand jury today found true bills against Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Castle of San Francisco.

FUNERAL SERVICE.

BARRETT—The funeral of Edmond Barrett was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Dr. Court officiated and the burial was in the Edson cemetery.

PRINCE—The funeral of Mary J. Prince was held at 8 o'clock yesterday forenoon at the residence of her son, 81 Chelmsford street. Rev. H. W. O. Millington officiated. The interment was at Groveland.

DEATHS.

WOODS—The mother of E. P. Woods died suddenly yesterday morning of pneumonia at the residence of C. H. Woods in Minneapolis, Minn. She was born in Amherst, N. H., Aug. 15, 1809, and except that she was a little hard of hearing, she always retained her faculties and of late years she has done exquisite needle work without the aid of spectacles.

SULLIVAN—Ellen Sullivan, aged 40 years, wife of Roger Sullivan, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 31 Marion street.

A Hasty Summons.

Mr. John A. O'Hearn, of O'Hearn & Dowd, left today for Rochester, N. Y., in response to a telegraphic request to attend a sale of fine clothing in that city. Rochester is the home of the clothing industry in the United States, and Mr. O'Hearn may be depended upon to secure the richest plums to be had at the sale. We predict that there will be some great bargains at O'Hearn & Dowd's before many days, as a result of his visit.

For Breaking and Entering.

Last night Officer Provencher arrested Arthur Lerguac, Peter Martin and Joseph Plante just after they had made a haul at the grocery store of Christolpat Picard, 18 Aiken street. Lerguac, it is said, is an old offender.

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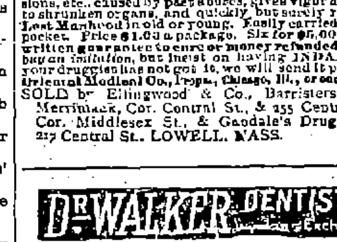

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Until it is almost a fever by trying to bake your bread through hot weather, as you will find this poor economy; but have
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call at your home, and for less than it would cost you to bake it yourself, you can get his celebrated cream bread, or pastry. Three delivery teams run to all parts of the city. Retail stores at
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Our entire stock of TRUNKS, BAGS, POCKET-BOOKS, STRAPS, etc., to be Slaughtered at prices unheard of.
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No wonder Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar is praised by its users. Its curative effects are like magic. Sold by druggists.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

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Can only be found in the Tim five-cent cigar and a few of the best ten-centers. You will say so when you've tried one.
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Try our "BIG TWELVE" brand of flour the best in the city.

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When you look at your watch and some one sees you and asks you the time you will look again. It wasn't important enough to fix it on their mind but when you have tried most everything for your cough and have at last found relief by using "Goodale's Cough Cure" you remember it. It has that peculiarity of hitting the cough almost every time. 25c.
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ARE YOU THINKING OF FURNISHING?
DO YOUR ROOMS NEED CARPETS?
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If so come and look through our warerooms. You will be courteously waited on whether you want to buy or not, and you will learn something about our prices that will cause you to trade with us when you need anything in our line. See our line of Couches at $8.00 and upwards. Chamber suites and Parlor suites from the cheapest to the best. Dining room furniture that is sure to please you both in style and price. The Glenwood ranges and Parlor stoves always in stock. Carpets and floor coverings of all kinds. A complete assortment of Housefurnishings.
66 Prescott Street.

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EXPORT BEER
Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery.
An Excellent Tonic
For Sale by All Local Dealers.

WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 43 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT.—Learn dress cutting and work for us. Positions given to competent pupils. Room 53, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement at No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. B. Chalifoux, with J. L. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly hotel.

FOUND—That after 8260 cakes of "Saprashine" guaranteed to clean silver, plant, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

WANTED—A treasurer for a good reliable stock company. Must deposit cash security. Apply at once to F. J. Meredith, Music hall, Lowell.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address R, Sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE.—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills; good lot of land. Price $1250. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c.; prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres; Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop, Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.
New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 70 houses have been built in the last 8 months; and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.
A. J. RYAN, Agt.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

Building materials are very low. You can get all mason's supplies of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, at low figures.

There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Saprosline. It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Dead Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in the woods in Pelham yesterday afternoon. No particulars can be obtained regarding the body.

Found in the River.

Workmen in the employ of the Locks and Canals company yesterday afternoon found the body of an infant in the river opposite Hunt's falls. It was turned over to Undertaker Brooks.

WHAT IT COST.

To Pay School Teachers and Janitors Last Month.

The total pay roll of the school department for the month of September was $21,844.11. Of this amount it took $10,-207.77 to pay the grammar, high, special teachers and school officials; primary teachers, $6774; training school teachers, $1,025.09; kindergarten teachers and janitors, $1122.50; evening school teachers, $2003.75; evening school janitors, $244; drawing school teachers, $395; drawing janitors, $12.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The overseers of the poor will meet tonight to approve bills. Among the bills will be the charges of the lands and buildings committee for work at the city institutions and they will probably precipitate a lively discussion.

The committee on accounts of the school board met last evening and approved bills.

The sewer committee will meet tonight to hear persons in favor and against petitions for new sewers and extensions. Bills will also be approved.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Today's are the last performances of Sherman & Morrissey's fancy collection of specialties, in Old Dan Tucker and those who have not seen the show are missing many laughable things.

John W. Isham's "Octoroons" will be the entertainment at Music hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday when a program will be presented that will delight almost any audience for which that popular play house is noted. It consists of clever and original sketches, singing, dancing, comedy and concludes with selections from the best grand and comic operas of the day, correctly costumed and scenically staged. The opening farce is full of mirth, melody and clever dialogue and while being a hit upon the fads and follies of racing also serves to introduce some clever singing and dancing. The olio which follows is made of several specialty acts which cost no little sum in the ensemble. The company has been carefully selected and while the singing of all is good, there are several voices which attract more than usual attention. Mr. Isham has endeavored to provide a novelty and it would seem that he has succeeded more than usually well.

CRISP GOSSIP.

John Murray, clerk in B. D. O'Connell's office is quite an adept sketcher. The young man very cleverly copies any kind of a portrait or caricature and reproduces it equally as good as the original. He drew the plates for the Sun's stereopticon last night.

Andrew G. Swapp, chairman of the school board has served a longer term in that body than any man. He is now in his fourteenth year of service, and as the old saying is "He improves with age." The republicans of Ward seven evidently know a good thing.

Dr. Thomas A. McCarthy a Holy Cross college graduate was bitterly opposed by the A. P. A.'s of Nashua yesterday in his fight for school committee. Dr. McCarthy is already a member of the board and was a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. He is well known in this city.

An orchestra will be organized of young men in St. Patrick's Cadet band. It will consist of 14 or 18 pieces and will commence to hold regular rehearsals next week.

At the meeting of the Catholic Lyceum tomorrow evening the newly elected officers will be installed. The exercises will be conducted by Dr. John J. Savage.

One of the oldest members of the Mathew Temperance Institute is John J. Lonergan the well known young boot and shoe merchant.

Mr. Lonergan is prominent in every affair conducted by the organization and is an earnest and willing worker in the temperance cause.

The invitations to the wedding of Mayor Courtney and Miss Alice Angeline Brouillette are being sent out.

"Are you going over to hear "Joe" Donohoe make a speech tonight?" asked a friend of Overseer Mahoney a few days ago. "Is Donohoe going to make a speech? Well I guess I'll be there; I would go to Billerica to hear him speak" answered Overseer Mahoney. "Joe" is making a record as a Bryan orator.

The liquor dealers and their clerks had a holiday yesterday and scores of them could be seen with guns and dogs going a 'hunting early in the morning, having first voted of course. The liquor dealers have nearly as many holidays as do school-children.

The Consumers' Hunting club held a day in the woods yesterday and President Ruppercht as usual bagged the best game.

The Lowell & Suburban construction department of which the boss is Mr. Michael O'Donnell, has just completed a remarkably quick and fine job of track laying in the extension of the Westford street line.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

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there will be less than 40 Democrats.

Hartford, Nov. 4.—Chairman Fyler of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "With every town but one heard from, McKinley has 64,500 majority in Connecticut, and about 53,500 majority for Cooke for governor. Four Republican congressmen are elected by majorities ranging from 5000 to 16,000. Legislature will be about 225 out of 252 representatives, and senate wholly Republican."

THE GRANITE STATE

Gives McKinley a Plurality Estimated at About 20,000.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—New Hampshire returns came in very slowly, on account of the large number of names on the ticket; but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley, and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. The Palmer and Buckner ballot was very light, and out of a total poll of 90,-000, it is not expected to exceed 5000 votes. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but it seems likely that he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The Republicans also gained in representatives elected, and the legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches; and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one, are Republican. This city gives McKinley 1000 plurality, and elects Albert B. Woodworth (Rep.) mayor by a large plurality.

Chairman Spaulding of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "Returns from 70 towns indicate 28,000 to 30,000 for McKinley, and about 20,000 plurality for governor. Congressmen will have from 10,000 to 12,000 each. Legislature overwhelmingly Republican. Gallinger's re-election as senator absolutely assured."

PLURALITY OF 35,000.

Republicans and Democrats Lost Percentages In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are being completed very slowly. Those at hand indicate that the Republican majority will be about 60 per cent greater than that of 1892, but that it will fall away from the September plurality given the Republican candidate for governor. As near as can be calculated from the meagre returns at hand, the Republican plurality will be about 35,000. In the towns heard from, the Gold Democrats hold about 10 per cent of the total vote, and this loss to the Democratic party is about equal to that of the Republican party in the state.

A FALLING OFF.

But Maine Still Furnishes a Big Plurality For McKinley.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Maine's plurality for McKinley, according to estimates made on the basis of returns from cities and towns in all quarters of the state, will probably fall short of the immense plurality at the September election by from 1500 to 2000 votes. The returns indicate a Republican plurality in the state of 46,600, while the plurality in September was 48,377 for governor.

GORMAN FORCES ROUTED.

McKinley Leads Bryan by Not Less Than 30,000 Votes.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Maryland, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, have again tasted the bitterness of a defeat, so crushing as to be almost disheartening. The almost phenomenal majority of 20,000 for Lowndes a year ago has been duplicated and perhaps exceeded, as with full returns from two-thirds of the state and half of the city, the indications are that McKinley leads Bryan by 30,000; 20,000 of which has been contributed by Baltimore city, heretofore a Gibraltar of Democracy. Five Republican congressmen have surely been elected, the only doubtful district being the First, in which Joshua W. Miles (Dem.) may be elected. Mr. Miles, although running on a silver platform, has always favored the gold standard, and many think he may be relied upon to vote that way if returned to congress. There was no state ticket in the field, and a detailed vote in a case like this would appear superfluous. In the city, an almost unanimous Republican council has been chosen, including all the members of the "combine" which opposed Mayor Hooper, save the two Democrats who acted with them.

OVER 300,000 PLURALITY.

Republican Voters Turned Out In Force In the Empire State.

Albany, Nov. 4.—With less than one-fourth of the election districts above the Harlem river to hear from, and with the vote of New York city and Kings county complete, the plurality of McKinley over Bryan promises to exceed 300,000 in the state.

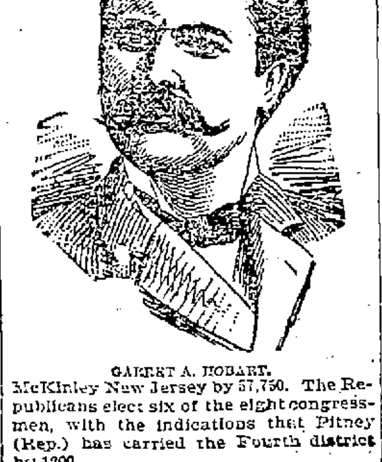
One county in the state, Schoharie, which is the home of Chairman Danforth of the Democratic state committee, has given Bryan a plurality of 500.

New York city has broken its political record of presidential elections. It has given a Republican plurality for president for the first time in its history. From 1832 to 1896, with one exception, Democratic presidential candidates have never polled less than 57 per cent of the total vote of the city. In 1848, the defection of Van Buren and the free soil party cut down the vote of the Democratic party to less than 36 per cent, but left a small plurality. Even in the Greeley campaign of 1872 the Democratic candidate nearly had 59 per cent.

HOBART'S STATE

Carried by the Republican Ticket by a Substantial Margin.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Revised estimates, based on the returns already in, give



GARRET A. HOBART.

McKinley New Jersey by 57,750. The Republicans elect six of the eight congressmen, with the indications that Pitney (Rep.) has carried the Fourth district by 1200.

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GOOD

for all diseases that have their origin in impure blood. It is

BETTER

than other sarsaparillas, better made, of better ingredients and by better methods. Its record of cures proclaims it the

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Trenton, Nov. 4.—Reports received from all parts of New Jersey, with no county complete, indicate the state has gone Republican by 45,000 on president. Seven of the eight Republican candidates for congress appear to be elected. The state legislature will probably stand: Assembly Republicans, 44 or 45; Democrats, 15 or 16. Senate: Republicans, 18; Democrats, 3. Three, and perhaps four, of the 21 counties have gone Democratic. The Palmer-Buckner vote is higher than expected.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 4.—Chairman Murphy of the state committee claims the state by 35,000. Chairman Price of the Democratic state committee admits the state has gone for McKinley by 10,000.

SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Republican Electors but Governor Will Probably Be a Democrat.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—On account of the length of the ticket and much scratching, the count of the vote in Delaware is very slow. Enough is known, however, to indicate surely that McKinley has carried the state by about 1000 majority. In other respects, owing to the division of the Republican party into two factions, the Democrats have been successful. They have elected Tunnell governor, and Handy to congress, by about 5000 plurality each. They have also elected a majority of the legislature.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Returns from this city and all over the state are very slow. It is believed that the Republicans elected the presidential electors by at least 1000 majority, but Tunnell (Dem.) will probably be elected governor, and Handy (free silver congressman) is also probably elected. Reports from Kent and Sussex county say there was a great deal of trouble at the polls, the Addicks men attempting to secure the voters' assistants. In some districts no election was held. The Democrats claim they have carried Kent and Sussex counties by small majorities.

PLURALITY OF 280,000.

Is the Estimate of the Republican Vote In the Keystone State.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Estimates from every county in the state give McKinley an apparent plurality of 266,950. The great size of the ticket made counting necessarily slow, and the estimates in many counties are undoubtedly below the actual Republican pluralities. There is every reason to believe that the official returns will show a plurality for McKinley of 280,000. The legislature is almost entirely Republican, the Democratic representatives not exceeding 10 per cent in the lower house.

Florida For Bryan.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall carry Florida by a majority over McKinley, closely estimated at 13,000 to 14,500, as against a majority of 18,900 for Bloxham (Dem.), for governor, over Gunby (Rep.) in the state election, Oct. 6. The returns received, covering one-fourth of the state, show a loss of about 4 per cent in the Democratic vote, and a gain of 30 per cent in the Republican. The total vote shows a considerable increase over that thrown in October, all the gain being on the Republican side. The Democratic aggregate will be about 20,000, and the Republican about 12,000.

McKinley Gets Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Nov. 4.—A tremendous vote was polled The total will break all records in national elections in Tennessee. The city of Chattanooga has gone Republican. McKinley is leading the ticket in the county and district. The state at large is considered safe for McKinley.

Democrats Win by 20,000

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The returns received thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried Virginia by 20,000. They gained in the black counties, but lost in the cities and some white counties.

In Favor of Republicans.

Wheeling, Nov. 4.—The chairman of the Republican state committee says that McKinley's plurality will be 20,000. Returns come slowly. So far indicate Republican gains.

Who does your printing? THE SUN job print would do it well and save you money.

KEEPS IT HANDY

Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

"Handy to have in the house," is an old expression, and relates to those things that emergency demands. Our good old grandmothers always kept a full stock of them, and that is where the old saying came from. Tried and true remedies soon become a part of the household dispensary, and this is right. In those olden days kidney troubles meant send for the doctor. Today, Doan's Kidney Pills in the house are the safeguards against backaches, urinary derangement, pains in the kidneys and all the miseries they bring. They are the sure cure for any stage of kidney complaint and a very important feature with them is that they do not affect any healthy condition of any part of the system. They are simply kidney remedies and do their work. Ladies, far more than men, appreciate such remedies. The constant going up and down stairs and ordinary bending and stooping necessary in house work tells on the kidneys; and having something sure to dispel the complaint "handy" is the right thing to do. Mrs. Charles Slowey, 641 Market street, tells us her complaint began with backache, then soreness across the kidneys, followed by urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs was painful. The urine was scant and pained in passage. Indigestion added its weight, and she was thoroughly depressed. She says: "I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got them at Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and I want to say now I have no more pains or urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs doesn't bother me, and the urine is natural. Doan's Kidney Pills did it and I now have a box in the house that we all take on the first intimation of any more backache."

Price 50 cents per box; for sale by all dealers, or mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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Representative—27th.

Michael J. Coughlin, d	132	146	211	519
Joseph F. Donohoe, d	156	168	260	584
Chas. E. Hosmer, r	283	266	290	839
Edward A. Stevens, r	270	243	266	779
Blanks	111	105	161	377

County Commissioner.

Levi S. Gould, r	290	273	318	881
George A. Perkins, d	151	164	232	548
Blanks	35	26	59	120

Congressman.

John H. Harrington, d	131	147	225	515
William S. Knox, r	318	296	325	939
Blanks	25	21	48	95

For President.

	Bryan and Sewall, D	Bryan and Sewall, N. Pr	Bryan and Watson	McKinley and Hobart	Palmer and Buckner
Ward 1	355	9	1	892	16
2	697	8	12	358	20
3	249	13	3	1217	21
4	718	25	5	528	12
5	703	36	3	479	11
6	423	10	4	507	12
7	266	2	6	1046	25
8	297	37	3	1366	24
9	233	66	2	987	27
Total	4091	205	39	7870	168

For Governor.

	Coffin	Prince	Williams, D.	Williams, Pop.	Williams, D. Ir.	Wolcott
Ward 1	6	23	536	25	21	813
2	3	26	704	52	16	321
3	8	27	223	20	39	1161
4	2	34	748	10	102	470
5	3	31	670	36	64	425
6	7	20	389	6	72	923
7	13	32	955	6	15	1001
8	17	25	190	10	29	1290
9	6	40	357	7	57	950
Total	65	263	3772	101	415	7360

Lieut.-Governor.	Callahan	Crane	McConnell	Congressman: Harrington	Knox
Ward 1	305	796	11	427	822
2	764	280	24	801	323
3	269	1127	21	345	1151
4	875	440	37	943	477
5	705	355	31	832	465
6	434	907	15	542	937
7	423	968	22	486	972
8	223	1104	16	270	1310
9	....	....	....	516	939
Total	4191	6007	177	5230	7396

Senator.	Brigham	Fisher	Mcvey	Putnam	Co. Comm'er: Gould	Perkins
Ward 1	....	....	407	503	782	415
2	....	....	534	313	295	851
3	....	....	308	1141	1032	351
4	....	....	920	470	445	940
5	390	835	....	....	400	832
6	....	....	479	943	947	481
7	....	....	442	989	896	538
8	....	....	250	1312	1260	320
9	903	525	....	....	851	548
Total	1293	1360	3340	5980	6994	5306

First Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Ward 1	480	458	447
2	218	723	879
3	666	472	877
4	338	759	427
5	313	657	455
6	582	553	600
7	662	367	453
8	735	435	480
9	624	509	416
Total	4458	5151	3935

Second Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks.
Ward 1	443	447	495
2	223	662	410
3	641	441	533
4	275	754	505
5	258	662	505
6	475	518	581
7	563	530	509
8	655	438	603
9	589	495	465
Total	4123	4347	4635

City Charter Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Wards 1	624	270	374
2	443	457	425
3	617	311	487
4	610	430	474
5	573	380	457
6	837	186	480
7	622	327	423
8	605	101	528
9	935	303	406
Total	6561	2950	4060

Fifth Congressional District.

In the fifth congressional district Knox wins by a big majority. The republican reserve vote came out strong. In every city and town Harrington ran ahead of his ticket. The vote by cities and towns:

	Harrington, d	Knox r
Andover	171	693
Dracut	119	222
Lynnfield	12	129
Lawrence	3167	4360
Methuen	212	790
North Andover	197	369
North Reading	25	119
Peabody	695	1115
Reading	155	781
Tewksbury	58	219
Wilmington	29	100
Woburn	1030	1306
Lowell	5230	7396
Total	11,308	17,746

REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST.

	Ward 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
27th District. Stevens	....	....	....	....	....	323	....	....	779	1101
Hosmer	....	....	....	....	....	362	....	....	839	1201
Donohoe	....	....	....	....	....	910	....	....	584	1494
Coughlin	....	....	....	....	....	820	....	....	519	1339
26th District. Stickney	457	791	374	....	661	....	....	....	....	2216
Rowell	708	266	1008	....	856	....	....	....	....	2838
Pattee	731	266	1010	....	767	....	....	....	....	2767
Mansfield	450	891	411	....	620	....	....	....	....	2272
Gordon	421	848	340	....	492	....	....	....	....	2100
Dobbins	700	263	1035	....	706	....	....	....	....	2804
25th District. Whitman	....	....	....	873	....	....	504	428	....	1805
Ramsey	....	....	....	486	....	....	824	1019	....	2328
Long	....	....	....	387	....	....	893	1101	....	2476
Hayes	....	....	....	399	....	....	951	1189	....	2549
Conroy	....	....	....	989	....	....	451	240	....	1680
Bysam	....	....	....	853	....	....	468	315	....	1636

The returns from the country towns in the 25th and 27th representative districts give the republican candidates the election.

MR. HARRINGTON'S VOTE.

He Runs Ahead of His Ticket All Over the District.

The vote for John H. Harrington, democratic candidate for congress for the 5th district, is very gratifying to his friends in this city.

In Lowell the democratic vote was as follows: Bryan, 4091; Williams, 3072, Harrington, 5230. By these figures it appears that Mr. Harrington leads Bryan in Lowell by 1139 votes and ran ahead of Mr. Williams, the candidate for governor 1258 votes. In every ward in this city he shows a gain over the head of the democratic ticket. In Lawrence he leads Mr. Williams by about 200 votes. In Woburn by 103 votes and so on throughout the entire district where his vote over that for the democratic heads of the ticket will not be far from 2000. The democrats of Lowell in particular will be pleased to know that their candidate led his ticket in every city and town in the 5th district.

Easy to Take Easy to Operate

Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man said: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Fine Dyeing and French Cleansing

Dyeing of Every Description, all Shades and Black.

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F. B. Leed's Agent, Runel's Building, cor. Bridge and Merrimack Street. Ladies' and Gents' garments dyed, cleansed and pressed.

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You will be pleased if your watch and jewelery repairing done at Frost's, 120 Central street

WHO'S ELECTED?

F. G. Mitchel & Co., of course. Elected the RARE BARGAIN givers of Lowell. Below are the returns for the honor conferred upon us. Our Electoral Notes emanate from the various departments in the acclamations from our delighted patron constituents heard by our Ambassadors behind our counters.

Returns:

HOSIERY.

Ladies' all wool Hose derby, and 2 and 1 ribbed, 12 1-2c a pair.
Ladies' seamless Hose, fast dye, ribbed, 19c a pair.
Ladies' extra fine, 38 wool Hose, for 25c a pair.
Men's half Hose, seamless, for 12 1-2c a pair.
Men's half Hose, all wool camel's hair, 19c a pair.
Misses' and Children's wool hose, 12 1-2c and 15c a pair.
Misses' and Children's fleece lined Hose, 10c.
Misses' fleece lined cotton Hose, 15c.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, a bargain for this week, 17c.
Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, for this week, 19c.
Ladies' extra fine Egyptian yarn Jersey Vests, 25c.
Ladies' combination Suits, 49c, 98c and $1.50.
Misses' and Children's Merino and Shetland Underwear, 9c up.
Men's Merino Shirts and drawers, 25c.
Men's fleece lined and Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, 49c.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, $1.25 kind, 98 cents.

Returns:

GLOVES.

Extra special lot Kid Gloves, all kinds, none worth less than $1, 59c pair.
Chamois Wash Gloves 69c pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, all sizes, black and colors, 19c.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, the 38c grade for 25c.
Misses' and Children's Fine Cashmere Gloves 19c.
Children's Mittens, 1 dozen left at 8c pair.
See our line of Taffeta Gloves with fleece lining.

CORSETS.

Big job strip Corsets, a 50c lot for 39c.
The Leader Corset, worth 75c, sold by us at 69c, now 50c.
R. & G., P. N., W. B. Corsets, choice 75c.
Ferris Waists, the only waist, 75c.

YARNS.

Big deal in wool ball Yarn to be sold quick at 7c.
Scotch Yarns, the 25c kind, 19c.
Zephyr and Germantown Yarns at prices heretofore not known to the trade.

FREE--Have you tried our Dainty Luncheon yet? You should.
FREE Lectures at 10 a. m., and 2 p. m., by the Chef.--FREE.

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Jobbers and Retailers of Millinery, Dry and Fancy Goods.

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From one of New York's leading manufacturers,

200 NEW FALL AND WINTER

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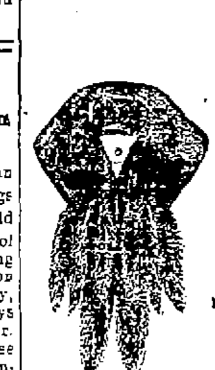

Large Assortment

50 New Plain Kersey Jackets, in Tan, Blue, Green, Brown and Black, made in the Empire, shield front and tight-fitting effects, from $4 to $8 less than regular prices.

25 Ladies' Double Capes, made of Beaver Cloth and embroidered with Jet and Mohair Braid, worth $5, this week only $2.95.

$6.50, Worth $10.

Jackets in great variety of the leading styles, in Persian, Boucle, Melton and Fancy Mixtures, garments that cannot be duplicated later, and made to sell for $10, this week only $6.50.

Fur Capes.

In Marten, Mink, Astrachan, Electric Seal, etc., at exceedingly low prices.

JACKETS (Like Cut),

$5.75 and $7.50.

LIKE A FAIRY TALE.

Little Girl Wanders Away and Is Adopted by Bears.

Four-year-old Helma Ursler wandered away from her home near Snowshoe, Pa., Thursday noon. She was swallowed up in the wilderness of the Alleghany mountains.

A large searching party turned out to beat the woods. Late Saturday afternoon four lumbermen found the child about a mile and a half from her home in the dense woods, playing with two bear cubs. Strange to say, though her clothes were torn, she was uninjured except by brier scratches.

The men were taking Helma away when a 300 pound female bear dashed out from the underbrush. After a desperate struggle the beast was killed with axes. Fritz Yanser's right arm was terribly lacerated by the animal's teeth and claws, and amputation will probably be necessary.

Mrs. Ursler was almost insane when the child was returned. It is a trait of the bears in that vicinity that they never harm little children.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inauguration Ceremonies.

The Baltimore Sun says that when Governor Elect Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama is inaugurated, he will stand upon a foundation of silver. The heels of his shoes will be covered with plates of the white metal. W. H. Council, president of the Colored State Normal and Industrial school at Normal, Ala., has just had manufactured a pair of patent leather shoes which will be worn by Governor Johnston at his inaugural. The shoes are the handiwork of negro students. On the solid silver heel plates are carved horseshoes. Within the horseshoe of the left plate is this: "Made and Presented to His Excellency Joseph F. Johnston, Governor of the State of Alabama, by the State Normal and Industrial School, Normal, Ala."

They Met—as Usual.

The meeting of the National Cut and Wire Nail Manufacturers' association held in this city yesterday was merely the usual meeting for the month. There was nothing sensational about it. It was held for the usual purpose.

What is politely called a "national association" is really the Nail trust. It is so organized that half a dozen men from various cities, meeting in a private parlor in New York, fix the price of every nail driven in this country.

That is all. It is very simple. There is no longer anything extraordinary about it. It is now the usual thing.—New York World.

A New Type of Woman.

A new type of new woman has appeared in London. When a man offered her a seat in a car the other day, she refused it, saying: "Indeed, no; this so called politeness on the part of mankind is only the gilding of our chains. Men are polite because they think women inferior to them. If they looked upon us as their equals, these stupid gallantries would cease."

A Princess' Dowry.

It is announced in Vienna that the Russian emperor informed the Prince of Montenegro that he had fixed 1,000,000 rubles as a dowry for the Princess Helene, the same amount having been given to her elder sisters by the late emperor. The wedding present of the Russian imperial couple was a diamond ornament made in Paris at the cost of 2,000,000 francs.

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND HALF HOSE

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

3 cases cotton and wool shirts and drawers, Grey and white at the extraordinary low price of **37½c. Each.**

1 case white wool Shirts and Drawers, goods which have always sold at 75c. each. Our special price **59c. Each.**

1 case wool fleece Shirts and Drawers, elegantly finished, seconds of $1.00 quality, almost as good as firsts, at **50c. Each.**

HALF HOSE.

1 case Grey Merino Half Hose, seamless, double heels and toes, well worth 22c. by doz., our price **12½c. Pair.**

1 case Grey wool and Camel's Hair Half Hose, heavy weight and good value at **17c. Pair.**

1 case of medium weight imported black cotton Half Hose, Hemsdorf dye, and imported to sell at 25c. Our price **15c. a pair, or 6 pairs for 75c.**

1 case "Contoocook" Ribbed Wool Hose, extra heavy weight, always retailed at 50c. Price for this sale only **29c.**

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY AND KNIT UNDERWEAR

Ladies' lined Jersey Vests and Pants. Seconds, good as firsts only **17c. each.**

1 case extra quality Egyptian Vests and Pants, fleece lined, best value ever offered in this city at **25c.**

3 cases "Harvard Mill" Jersey Vests and Pants, winter weight, the best value in this country at **50c. each.**

Misses—1 case Harvard Jersey Vests and pants, worth 50c., while they last at **29c. each.**

HOSIERY—LADIES.

2 cases Gray Wool Hose, seamless feet, good quality at **19c. pair.**

1 case Hemsdorf black fleeced Hose at **19c. pair.**

MISSES.

1 case all wool Hose, merino soles, size 6 to 8½ at **17c. pair.**

Infants, extra quality black Cashmere Hose sizes 4 to 8½ at **19c. pair.**

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO.

LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance. Donovan bl'd.

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

Building materials are very low. You can get all mason's supplies of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, at low figures.

There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Sapreshine. It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Dead Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in the woods in Pelham yesterday afternoon. No particulars can be obtained regarding the body.

Found in the River.

Workmen in the employ of the Locks and Canals company yesterday afternoon found the body of an infant in the river opposite Hunt's falls. It was turned over to Undertaker Brooks.

WHAT IT COST.

To Pay School Teachers and Janitors Last Month.

The total pay roll of the school department for the month of September was $21,844.11. Of this amount it took $10,-567.77 to pay the grammar, high, special teachers and school officials; primary teachers, $6774; training school teachers, $1,025.09; kindergarten teachers and janitors, $1122.50, evening school teachers, $2003.75; evening school janitors, $244; drawing school teachers, $395; drawing janitors, $12.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The overseers of the poor will meet tonight to approve bills. Among the bills will be the charges of the lands and buildings committee for work at the city institutions and they will probably precipitate a lively discussion.

The committee on accounts of the school board met last evening and approved bills.

The sewer committee will meet tonight to hear persons in favor and against petitions for new sewers and extensions. Bills will also be approved.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Today's are the last performances of Sherman & Morrissey's fancy collection of specialties, in Old Dan Tucker and those who have not seen the show are missing many laughable things.

John W. Isham's "Octoroons" will be the entertainment at Music hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday when a program will be presented that will delight almost any audience for which that popular play house is noted. It consists of clever and original sketches, singing, dancing, comedy and concludes with selections from the best grand and comic operas of the day, correctly costumed and scenically staged. The opening farce is full of mirth, melody and clever dialogue and while being a hit upon the fads and follies of racing also serves to introduce some clever singing and dancing. The olio which follows is made of several specialty acts which cost no little sum in the ensemble. The company has been carefully selected and while the singing of all is good, there are several voices which attract more than usual attention. Mr. Isham has endeavored to provide a novelty and it would seem that he has succeeded more than usually well.

CRISP GOSSIP.

John Murray, clerk in B. D. O'Connell's office is quite an adept sketcher. The young man very cleverly copies any kind of a portrait or caricature and reproduces it equally as good as the original. He drew the plates for the Sun's stereopticon last night.

Andrew G. Swapp, chairman of the school board has served a longer term in that body than any man. He is now in his fourteenth year of service, and as the old saying is "He improves with age." The republicans of Ward seven evidently know a good thing.

Dr. Thomas A. McCarthy a Holy Cross college graduate was bitterly opposed by the A. P. A.'s of Nashua yesterday in his fight for school committee. Dr. McCarthy is already a member of the board and was a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. He is well known in this city.

An orchestra will be organized of young men in St. Patrick's Cadet band. It will consist of 14 or 18 pieces and will commence to hold regular rehearsals next week.

At the meeting of the Catholic Lyceum tomorrow evening the newly elected officers will be installed. The exercises will be conducted by Dr. John J. Savage.

One of the oldest members of the Mathew Temperance Institute is John J. Lonergan the well known young boot and shoe merchant.

Mr. Lonergan is prominent in every affair conducted by the organization and is an earnest and willing worker in the temperance cause.

The invitations to the wedding of Mayor Courtney and Miss Alice Angeline Brouillette are being sent out.

"Are you going over to hear "Joe" Donohoe make a speech tonight?" asked a friend of Overseer Mahoney a few days ago. "Is Donohoe going to make a speech? Well I guess I'll be there; I would go to Billerica to hear him speak" answered Overseer Mahoney. "Joe" is making a record as a Bryan orator.

The liquor dealers and their clerks had a holiday yesterday and scores of them could be seen with guns and dogs going a hunting early in the morning, having first voted of course. The liquor dealers have nearly as many holidays as do school-children.

The Consumers' Hunting club held a day in the woods yesterday and President Rupperecht as usual bagged the best game.

The Lowell & Suburban construction department of which the boss is Mr. Michael O'Donnell, has just completed a remarkably quick and fine job of track laying in the extension of the Westford street line.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

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there will be less than 40 Democrats.

Hartford, Nov. 4.—Chairman Fyler of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "With every town but one heard from, McKinley has 64,500 majority in Connecticut, and about 53,500 majority for Cooke for governor. Four Republican congressmen are elected by majorities ranging from 5000 to 16,000. Legislature will be about 225 out of 252 representatives, and senate wholly Republican."

THE GRANITE STATE

Gives McKinley a Plurality Estimated at About 20,000.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—New Hampshire returns came in very slowly, on account of the large number of names on the ticket; but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley, and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. The Palmer and Buckner ballot was very light, and out of a total poll of 90,-000, it is not expected to exceed 5000 votes. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but it seems likely that he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The Republicans also gained in representatives elected, and the legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches; and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one, are Republican. This city gives McKinley 1000 plurality, and elects Albert B. Woodworth (Rep.) mayor by a large plurality.

Chairman Spaulding of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "Returns from 70 towns indicate 28,000 to 30,000 for McKinley, and about 20,000 plurality for governor. Congressmen will have from 10,000 to 12,000 each. Legislature overwhelmingly Republican. Gallinger's re-election as senator absolutely assured."

PLURALITY OF 35,000.

Republicans and Democrats Lost Percentages In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are being completed very slowly. Those at hand indicate that the Republican majority will be about 60 per cent greater than that of 1892, but that it will fall away from the September plurality given the Republican candidate for governor. As near as can be calculated from the meagre returns at hand, the Republican plurality will be about 35,000. In the towns heard from, the Gold Democrats hold about 10 per cent of the total vote, and this loss to the Democratic party is about equal to that of the Republican party in the state.

A FALLING OFF.

But Maine Still Furnishes a Big Plurality For McKinley.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Maine's plurality for McKinley, according to estimates made on the basis of returns from cities and towns in all quarters of the state, will probably fall short of the immense plurality at the September election by from 1500 to 2000 votes. The returns indicate a Republican plurality in the state of 46,600, while the plurality in September was 48,377 for governor.

GORMAN FORCES ROUTED.

McKinley Leads Bryan by Not Less Than 30,000 Votes.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Maryland, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, have again tasted the bitterness of a defeat, so crushing as to be almost disheartening. The almost phenomenal majority of 20,000 for Lowndes a year ago has been duplicated and perhaps exceeded, as with full returns from two-thirds of the state and half of the city, the indications are that McKinley leads Bryan by 30,000; 20,000 of which has been contributed by Baltimore city, heretofore a Gibraltar of Democracy. Five Republican congressmen have surely been elected, the only doubtful district being the First, in which Joshua W. Miles (Dem.) may be elected. Mr. Miles, although running on a silver platform, has always favored the gold standard, and many think he may be relied upon to vote that way if returned to congress. There was no state ticket in the field, and a detailed vote in a case like this would appear superfluous. In the city, an almost unanimous Republican council has been chosen, including all the members of the "combine" which opposed Mayor Hooper, save the two Democrats who acted with them.

OVER 300,000 PLURALITY.

Republican Voters Turned Out In Force In the Empire State.

Albany, Nov. 4.—With less than one-fourth of the election districts above the Harlem river to hear from, and with the vote of New York city and Kings county complete, the plurality of McKinley over Bryan promises to exceed 302,000 in the state.

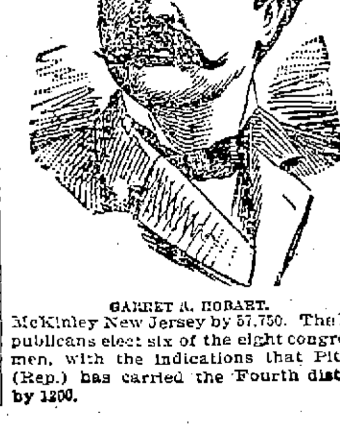
One county in the state, Schorarie, which is the home of Chairman Danforth of the Democratic state committee, has given Bryan a plurality of 500.

New York city has broken its political record of presidential elections. It has given a Republican plurality for president for the first time in its history. From 1832 to 1896, with one exception, Democratic presidential candidates have never polled less than 57 per cent of the total vote of the city. In 1848, the defection of Van Buren and the free soil party cut down the vote of the Democratic party to less than 36 per cent, but left a small plurality. Even in the Greeley campaign of 1872 the Democratic candidate nearly had 59 per cent.

HOBART'S STATE

Carried by the Republican Ticket by a Substantial Margin.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Revised estimates, based on the returns already in, give



GARRET A. HOBART.

McKinley New Jersey by 57,750. The Republicans elect six of the eight congressmen, with the indications that Pitney (Rep.) has carried the Fourth district by 1200.

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Trenton, Nov. 4.—Reports received from all parts of New Jersey, with no county complete, indicate the state has gone Republican by 45,000 on president. Seven of the eight Republican candidates for congress appear to be elected. The state legislature will probably stand: Assembly Republicans, 44 or 45; Democrats, 15 or 16. Senate: Republicans, 18; Democrats, 3. Three, and perhaps four, of the 21 counties have gone Democratic. The Palmer-Buckner vote is higher than expected.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 4.—Chairman Murphy of the state committee claims the state by 35,000. Chairman Price of the Democratic state committee admits the state has gone for McKinley by 10,000.

SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Republican Electors but Governor Will Probably Be a Democrat.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—On account of the length of the ticket and much scratching, the count of the vote in Delaware is very slow. Enough is known, however, to indicate surely that McKinley has carried the state by about 1000 majority. In other respects, owing to the division of the Republican party into two factions, the Democrats have been successful. They have elected Tunnell governor, and Handy to congress, by about 5000 plurality each. They have also elected a majority of the legislature.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Returns from this city and all over the state are very slow. It is believed that the Republicans elected the presidential electors by at least 1000 majority, but Tunnell (Dem.) will probably be elected governor, and Handy (free silver congressman) is also probably elected. Reports from Kent and Sussex county say there was a great deal of trouble at the polls, the Addicks men attempting to secure the voters' assistants. In some districts no election was held. The Democrats claim they have carried Kent and Sussex counties by small majorities.

PLURALITY OF 280,000.

Is the Estimate of the Republican Vote In the Keystone State.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Estimates from every county in the state give McKinley an apparent plurality of 266,950. The great size of the ticket made counting necessarily slow, and the estimates in many counties are undoubtedly below the actual Republican pluralities. There is every reason to believe that the official returns will show a plurality for McKinley of 280,000. The legislature is almostly entirely Republican, the Democratic representatives not exceeding 10 per cent in the lower house.

Florida For Bryan.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall carry Florida by a majority over McKinley, closely estimated at 13,000 to 14,500, as against a majority of 18,900 for Bloxham (Dem.), for governor, over Gunby (Rep.) in the state election, Oct. 6. The returns received, covering one-fourth of the state, show a loss of about 4 per cent in the Democratic vote, and a gain of 39 per cent in the Republican. The total vote shows a considerable increase over that thrown in October, all the gain being on the Republican side. The Democratic aggregate will be about 26,000, and the Republican about 12,000.

McKinley Gets Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Nov. 4.—A tremendous vote was polled The total will break all records in national elections in Tennessee. The city of Chattanooga has gone Republican. McKinley is leading the ticket in the county and district. The state at large is considered safe for McKinley.

Democrats Win by 20,000

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The returns received thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried Virginia by 20,000. They gained in the black counties, but lost in the cities and some white counties.

In Favor of Republicans.

Wheeling, Nov. 4.—The chairman of the Republican state committee says that McKinley's plurality will be 20,000. Returns come slowly. So far indicate Republican gains.

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Representative—27th.

Michael J. Coughlin, d.	132	146	241	519
Joseph F. Donohoe, d.	156	168	260	584
Chas. E. Hosmer, r.	283	266	290	839
Edward A. Stevens, r.	270	243	266	779
Blanks	111	105	161	377
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r.	290	273	318	881
George A. Perkins, d.	151	165	232	548
Blanks	35	26	59	120
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d.	133	147	235	515
William S. Knox, r.	318	296	325	939
Blanks	25	21	48	95

For President.

	Bryan and Sewall, D	Bryan and Sewall, N. Pr	Bryan and Watson	McKinley and Hobart	Palmer and Buckner
Ward 1	355	9	1	892	16
2	697	8	12	358	20
3	249	13	3	1217	21
4	748	25	5	538	12
5	703	36	3	479	11
6	423	10	4	997	12
7	266	2	6	1016	25
8	207	37	3	1306	21
9	353	66	2	987	27
Total	4091	206	39	7570	168

For Governor.

	Coffin	Prince	Williams, D.	Williams, Pop.	Williams, D. Lr.	Wolcott
Ward 1	6	23	336	25	21	813
2	3	26	701	63	16	321
3	8	27	223	20	39	1161
4	2	34	748	16	102	470
5	3	31	670	30	64	426
6	7	20	360	6	72	923
7	13	32	355	8	15	1001
8	17	25	190	10	25	1290
9	6	40	357	7	57	950
Total	65	263	3972	161	415	7360

	Lieut.-Governor.			Congressman	
	Callahan	Crane	McConnell	Harrington	Knox
Ward 1	395	798	11	427	822
2	764	280	24	861	323
3	289	1127	21	345	1151
4	875	440	37	943	477
5	765	385	31	832	465
6	434	907	15	542	937
7	423	969	22	486	972
8	226	1104	16	279	1310
9	....	....	....	515	939
Total	4191	6007	177	5230	7396

	Senator.				Co. Comm'er	
	Brigham	Bisher	Mevoy	Putnam	Gould	Perkins
Ward 1	....	....	407	803	782	415
2	....	....	334	313	295	851
3	....	....	358	1141	1082	351
4	....	....	920	479	445	940
5	390	835	....	....	406	832
6	....	....	470	943	947	481
7	....	....	442	989	806	538
8	....	....	250	1312	1260	320
9	903	525	....	....	881	548
Total	1293	1360	3640	5980	6994	5306

First Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Ward 1	480	458	447
2	216	729	879
3	666	472	377
4	338	769	427
5	313	657	455
6	532	553	400
7	552	667	463
8	735	439	489
9	624	509	416
Total	4455	5151	3935

Second Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks.
Ward 1	443	447	495
2	223	662	419
3	641	441	533
4	275	754	505
5	258	662	505
6	456	518	581
7	563	630	509
8	655	438	603
9	589	493	465
Total	4133	4917	4635

City Charter Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Wards 1	634	270	374
2	443	467	425
3	817	311	487
4	610	435	474
5	678	380	457
6	827	186	460
7	892	327	423
8	905	101	528
9	935	306	406
Total	6361	2930	4060

Fifth Congressional District.

In the fifth congressional district Knox wins by a big majority. The republican reserve vote came out strong. In every city and town Harrington ran ahead of his ticket. The vote by cities and towns:

	Harrington, d	Knox r
Andover	171	699
Dracut	119	222
Lynnfield	12	120
Lawrence	3457	4350
Methuen	212	790
North Andover	107	369
North Reading	25	119
Peabody	695	1115
Reading	155	781
Tewksbury	38	219
Wilmington	23	160
Woburn	1030	1306
Lowell	5230	7396
Total	11,308	17,746

REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST.

	25th District.						26th District.						27th District.			
	Byam	Conroy	Hayes	Long	Ramsay	Whitman	Dobbins	Gordon	Mansfield	Pattee	Howell	Stickney	Coughlin	Donohoe	Hosmer	Stevens
Ward 1	....	....	....	....	....	....	700	421	450	734	709	437	....	....	....	....
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	268	833	891	266	360	791	....	....	....	....
3	....	....	....	....	....	....	1003	340	411	1000	1046	374	....	....	....	....
4	892	859	990	387	486	873	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	....	....	....	....	....	....	708	492	520	767	820	561	....	....	....	....
6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	820	910	302	322
7	404	481	351	898	832	504	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	316	240	1199	1191	1010	429	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	519	581	899	779
Total	1612	1580	2540	2476	2328	1805	2604	2100	2272	2767	2935	2210	1339	1491	1201	1101

The returns from the country towns in the 25th and 27th representative districts give the republican candidates the election.

MR. HARRINGTON'S VOTE.

He Runs Ahead of His Ticket All Over the District.

The vote for John H. Harrington, democratic candidate for congress for the 5th district, is very gratifying to his friends in this city.

In Lowell the democratic vote was as follows: Bryan, 4091; Williams, 3972, Harrington, 5230. By these figures it appears that Mr. Harrington leads Bryan in Lowell by 1139 votes and ran ahead of Mr. Williams, the candidate for governor 1258 votes. In every ward in this city he shows a gain over the head of the democratic ticket. In Lawrence he leads Mr. Williams by about 200 votes. In Woburn by 103 votes and so on throughout the entire district where his vote over that for the democratic heads of the ticket will not be far from 2000. The democrats of Lowell in particular will be pleased to know that their candidate led his ticket in every city and town in the 5th district.

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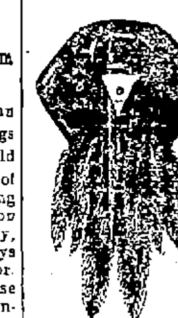

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Returns:

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Ladies' all wool Hose derby, and 2 and 1 ribbed, 12 1-2c a pair.
Ladies' seamless Hose, fast dye, ribbed, 19c a pair.
Ladies' extra fine, 38 wool Hose, for 25c a pair.
Men's half Hose, seamless, for 12 1-2c a pair.
Men's half Hose, all wool camel's hair, 19c a pair.
Misses' and Children's wool hose, 12 1-2c and 15c a pair.
Misses' and Children's fleece lined Hose, 10c.
Misses' fleece lined cotton Hose, 15c.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, a bargain for this week, 17c.
Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, for this week, 19c.
Ladies' extra fine Egyptian yarn Jersey Vests, 25c.
Ladies' combination Suits, 49c, 98c and $1.50.
Misses' and Children's Merino and Shetland Underwear, 9c up.
Men's Merino Shirts and drawers, 25c.
Men's fleece lined and Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, 49c.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, $1.25 kind, 98 cents.

Returns:

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Extra special lot Kid Gloves, all kinds, none worth less than $1, 59c pair.
Chamois Wash Gloves 69c pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, all sizes, black and colors, 19c.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, the 38c grade for 25c.
Misses' and Children's Fine Cashmere Gloves 19c.
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Little Girl Wanders Away and Is Adopted by Bears.

Four-year-old Helma Ursler wandered away from her home near Snowshoe, Pa., Thursday noon. She was swallowed up in the wilderness of the Alleghany mountains.

A large searching party turned out to beat the woods. Late Saturday afternoon four lumbermen found the child about a mile and a half from her home in the dense woods, playing with two bear cubs. Strange to say, though her clothes were torn, she was uninjured except by brier scratches.

The men were taking Helma away when a 300 pound female bear dashed out from the underbrush. After a desperate struggle the beast was killed with axes. Fritz Yansor's right arm was terribly lacerated by the animal's teeth and claws, and amputation will probably be necessary.

Mrs. Ursler was almost insane when the child was returned. It is a trait of the bears in that vicinity that they never harm little children.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inauguration Ceremonies.

The Baltimore Sun says that when Governor Elect Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama is inaugurated, he will stand upon a foundation of silver. The heels of his shoes will be covered with plates of the white metal. W. H. Councill, president of the Colored State Normal and Industrial school at Normal, Ala., has just had manufactured a pair of patent leather shoes which will be worn by Governor Johnston at his inaugural. The shoes are the handiwork of negro students. On the solid silver heel plates are carved horseshoes. Within the horseshoe of the left plate is this: "Made and Presented to His Excellency Joseph F. Johnston, Governor of the State of Alabama, by the State Normal and Industrial School, Normal, Ala."

They Met—as Usual.

The meeting of the National Cut and Wire Nail Manufacturers' association held in this city yesterday was merely the usual meeting for the month. There was nothing sensational about it. It was held for the usual purpose.

What is politely called a "national association" is really the Nail trust. It is so organized that half a dozen men from various cities, meeting in a private parlor in New York, fix the price of every nail driven in this country.

That is all. It is very simple. There is no longer anything extraordinary about it. It is now the usual thing.—New York World.

A New Type of Woman.

A new type of new woman has appeared in London. When a man offered her a seat in a car the other day, she refused it, saying: "Indeed, no; this so called politeness on the part of mankind is only the gilding of our chains. Men are polite because they think women inferior to them. If they looked upon us as their equals, these stupid gallantries would cease."

A Princess' Dowry.

It is announced in Vienna that the Russian emperor informed the Prince of Montenegro that he had fixed 1,000,000 rubles as a dowry for the Princess Helene, the same amount having been given to her elder sisters by the late emperor. The wedding present of the Russian imperial couple was a diamond ornament made in Paris at the cost of 2,000,000 francs.

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Only 220 Electorals Are Conceded to McKinley.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—It is reasonably certain that McKinley and Hobart are elected, but the majority is likely, from indications, to be much narrower than was thought as a result of earlier dispatches.

The following electorals are conceded to McKinley: Connecticut, 6; Illinois, 24; Iowa, 13; Maine, 6; Maryland, 8; Massachusetts, 15; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 9; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 10; New York, 36; Ohio, 23; Pennsylvania, 32; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 4; Wisconsin, 12; total 220.

The following are conceded to Bryan: Alabama, 12; Arkansas, 8; Colorado, 4; Florida, 4; Georgia, 13; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 8; Mississippi, 9; Missouri, 17; Montana, 3; Nevada, 3; South Carolina, 9; Tennessee, 12; Texas, 15; Utah, 3; Virginia, 12. Total, 135. Nebraska 8, probably for Bryan.

The situation may be deduced thusly: Certain for McKinley, 220; almost certain, 18; indications, 25; certain for Bryan, 135; probably for Bryan, 23; doubtful, 26.

Bryan is not yet defeated.

Election Notes.

The Knights of Columbus received the returns over a special wire, and they were announced to the members when received. Refreshments were served and whist and billiards were enjoyed.

At the Highland club the progress of the big political game was told to the members as it came in on the wire.

The Y.M.C.A. had quite a crowd at its rooms, and as fast as the results were told to the audience assembled, they were also thrown out upon the sheet on the opposite side of the street.

At Huntington hall several hundred people listened to the returns as they were given out by Chairman Poore of the republican city committee.

Post 185, G. A. R., in the Wyman exchange kept open house, played whist, smoked, enjoyed a collation, received some returns.

At the Yorick and Elks' club rooms there were also gatherings during part of the evenings.

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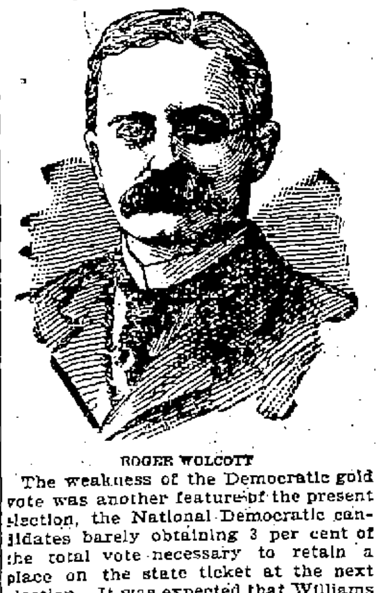
A GREAT REPUBLICAN SWEEP

William McKinley May Have 250 Votes in Electoral College.

Democrats Beaten All Along the Line—Congressman Fitzgerald Pulls Through—Nearly All the Doubtful States Go For McKinley—Unexampled Pluralities For the Republican Ticket—Gov. Wolcott Carries Massachusetts by 125,000.

WILLIAM McKINLEY, PRESIDENT ELECT.

Boston, Nov. 4.—Massachusetts will send 15 Republican electors to the electoral college, backed by a plurality for McKinley and Hobart of nearly 125,000. Never before in the history of the Bay State has there been such a decided sentiment in favor of one of the two great political parties. The nearest approach to such an enormous majority was at the 1872 election, when the Grant electors had 74,000 plurality. The popular endorsement of Governor Wolcott is nearly as great as that of his presidential leader. The Democratic deflection to McKinley was something almost unlooked for, especially in this city, the stronghold of the Democratic party in the state. While the change in the ward lines made a detailed comparison almost impossible, the Democratic districts showed a great falling off in the usual heavy party majority. The Republican gains were, however, heaviest in the small towns, notwithstanding the appeal to the farmer vote made by the Democratic orators.



ROGER WOLCOTT

The weakness of the Democratic gold vote was another feature of the present election, the National Democratic candidates barely obtaining 3 per cent of the total vote necessary to retain a place on the state ticket at the next election. It was expected that Williams would run somewhat behind Bryan in the state, but in all the towns and nearly every city, the Dedham statesman was neck and neck with his leader, and went down with him under a storm of ballots. Massachusetts will be represented in the next house of congress by 12 Republicans and one Democrat, an unchanged delegation, while the latter, Congressman Fitzgerald, will continue to hold his place as the only Democratic congressman from New England.

The only contest of interest was that in the Ninth and Tenth district, although in the former, the stronghold of the Democracy, the Republicans had but little hope. The fight in the latter was very keen between Rev. S. J. Barrows and Alderman Bordman Hall. Mr. Barrows won by a good margin.

The legislature of Massachusetts will be as usual Republican in both branches, but this year there will be a heavier majority than ever before. The election was a quiet one, but few disturbances being reported, while the fine weather enabled nearly 90 per cent of the total registration to be polled.

The Massachusetts legislature for 1897 will be more strongly Republican than ever. The Democrats have lost two senators and about 10 representatives. The next senate will probably stand 35 Republicans and five Democrats, and the house, 200 Republicans and 40 Democrats. Four of the senators will come from Boston.

The proposed amendment to the state constitution, establishing biennial elections, was defeated by a good majority.

A RECORD BREAKER.

Plurality In Rhode Island the Largest Ever Given Republicans.

Providence, Nov. 4.—As soon as the returns from the Rhode Island towns began to come in, it was very evident that the state had given McKinley an overwhelming majority. Town after town, irrespective of its political complexion upon local issues, cast its vote for the Republican candidates, and as early as 9 o'clock the Democrats themselves were ready to admit that the state had given McKinley a plurality of 15,000, while the Republicans claimed that the total vote would show a plurality bordering upon 25,000, the biggest plurality ever given in Rhode Island. The gold vote in Rhode Island has cut a sorry figure. In some towns from six to 25 votes were cast for Palmer, while many made no report of this feature in sending their returns to Providence. So far as can be estimated, however, the total vote cast for the gold candidates will be very small, the Gold Democrats having united with the Republicans to poll a big vote for the gold standard candidates. In the two congressional districts the vote follows closely that cast for the national ticket. Melville Bull and Adin B. Capron, the congressional candidates from the First and Second districts, are elected by pluralities that promise to surprise any on record.

Interest in the election in Rhode Island centered in the different municipal contests, rather than in the presidential vote, which, it was generally believed, would be cast for McKinley. In view of these conditions, the mayorality vote in the different cities was counted first, and at 2 o'clock the election officials were engaged in this work, so that the probable result of the state vote could only be estimated. From returns at hand in the cities it is thought that the Republican plurality will be between 15,000 and 20,000. The cities of Central Falls and Pawtucket are Democratic. Woonsocket changes from the Democratic to the Republican column, while Newport is Republican.

TOOK EVERYTHING.

Connecticut Republicans Victorious by Largely Increased Majorities.

New Haven, Nov. 4.—Connecticut witnessed a Republican landslide, and the electoral vote of the state will be given to McKinley at the instance of a popular vote, which shows a Republican plurality of nearly 40,000. The vote polled breaks all records, and the Republican victory is also the largest in the history of the state. On the state ticket the Republican candidates are victorious by like pluralities. The four Republican congressmen are re-elected by pluralities ranging from 10,000 to 16,000. The next general assembly will be overwhelmingly Republican, to the extent of a solid Republican senate and a house majority of 200. The Gold Standard Democratic vote fell far below expectations.

New Haven, Nov. 4.—Returns thus far received warrant the belief that Connecticut has gone Republican by at least 40,000. Various Republican papers are unanimous in claiming the state for McKinley by 50,000. Republican gains are reported in almost every section of the state. The Republican state ticket is elected by majorities ranging from 30,000 to 40,000. The four Republican congressmen are elected by largely increased majorities, and the state legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican.

Returns show that the next general assembly will be overwhelmingly Republican. In 24 senatorial districts not a Democratic candidate has been elected. In the house, out of 252 representatives

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SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

THE VOTE CAST IN LOWELL

Showing the Efficacy of the Recent Gerrymander.

It Also Shows the Effect of the Big Political Cyclone that Has Brought Ruin to Democratic Prospects Hereabouts—The Returns Tell the Tale.

Here's why we weep:

McKinley's total vote in Lowell	7870
Bryan's total vote in Lowell	4336
McKinley's plurality	3534
Wolcott's total vote in Lowell	7369
Williams' total vote in Lowell	4549
Wolcott's plurality	2821
Knox's total vote in Lowell	7396
Harrington's total vote in Lowell	5230
Knox's Plurality	2100

Senators elected—George E. Putnam, republican, and William H. Brigham, republican.

Representatives elected in the 26th district—Richard Dobbins, Joseph E. Pattee and Edward T. Rowell, republicans. In the 25th district, W. H. I. Hayes, James Ramsay and William A. Lang, all republicans; and in the 27th district, though the country towns are not all in, the probabilities are Charles E. Hosmer and Edward A. Stevens, also republicans.

The crowd that gathered in front of The Sun building last evening resembled one of the dense crowds that listened to Mr. Bryan during the campaign. It was a vast sea of seething, howling, yelling, clapping, clattering humanity.

The returns cast upon the canvas over The Sun building were eagerly sought, and whenever good news for either side was put out, a terrific cheer went up and was repeated again and again with a "tiger" accompaniment.

The Courier's megaphone, by which the returns were announced, could not be heard in the cheers of the multitude.

The waiting crowds became impatient watching for the returns, but it should be remembered that the polls did not close in the western states until 6 or 7 o'clock with us. In California the polls closed at 5 o'clock, but that corresponds to 9 o'clock Lowell.

The first reports from the west were received very slowly as might be expected and almost before there was time to count the presidential vote in any state, the news was flashed over the wire that McKinley was elected. Before the polls were closed in some states, the republican leaders were out with claims that McKinley had carried most of the doubtful states.

The democrats remained "unterrified" and cheered the returns until the lateness of the hour and then the to them, unsatisfactory character of the reports led them to turn homeward downcast and discouraged. They felt that their champion had lost the fight, despite the gallant character of his campaign. He may be defeated but he will remain the people's idol and if he lives he will yet be president.

The first returns were almost entirely false and the democrats on reading them exclaimed, "Who owns the telegraph companies?" "They can send out false reports but they cannot elect a president."

The New York Sun true to its splenotic instincts was the first to claim McKinley's election, the first to pronounce Bryan defeated. The N. Y. World came next and after them in quick succession the N. Y. Herald, the Boston Journal and all the organs of the gold standard denomination.

The waiting anxious crowds remained in the square until 12 o'clock, thousands of them even later and yet they went home in utter uncertainty as to who was elected president.

But the cumulative returns in McKinley's favor soon convinced the most sceptical that McKinley swept the country with a mighty sweep and that Bryan sustained an overwhelming defeat.

However, every good citizen bows to the inevitable and none can utter a word of dissent at the fiat of the sovereign people.

We have been promised that if McKinley were elected the mills would start up again, all the evils of the gold standard will disappear, wages will go up with leaps and bounds and there will be no more idleness, no more shut downs or cut downs, prosperity will return to remain while McKinley guides the ship of state, and now we look to see a speedy realization of these bright prognostications of better days to come.

Below will be found the result of the contests in which there was any interest. The votes of the gold democrats, the various Williams tickets, the populist and prohibition parties are presented in order that their strength may be shown.

The leading returns for this city are subjoined.

WARD ONE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	113	119	133	365
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	2	7	0	9
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	0	1	1
McKinley and Hobart, r	347	347	198	892
Palmer and Buckner, d n	3	10	3	16
Blanks	28		0	26
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	3	0	6
F. O. Prince, d n	15	6	5	26
Geo. F. Williams, d	79	127	130	336
Geo. F. Williams, pop	22	2	1	25
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	4	10	7	21
Roger Wolcott, r	312	317	184	813
Blanks	51	52	42	145
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	117	139	139	395
W. Murray Crane, r	307	311	178	796
James McConnell, d n	3	5	3	11
Blanks	61	69	49	172
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	122	146	139	407
George E. Putnam, r	290	318	186	803
Blanks	71	59	45	175
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	274	279	147	700
John G. Gordon, d	119	154	148	421
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	138	153	159	450
Joseph E. Pattee, r	244	238	152	734
Edward T. Rowell, r	277	285	146	708
Rollin W. Stickney, d	149	165	173	487
Blanks	235	230	185	650
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	302	301	179	782
George A. Perkins, d	131	159	155	445
Blanks	59	93	36	158
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	119	156	152	427
William S. Knox, r	323	312	187	822
Blanks	50	55	31	136

WARD TWO.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	156	244	297	697
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	3	2	3	8
Bryan and Watson, pop	7	2	3	12
McKinley and Hobart r	201	73	85	358
Palmer and Buckner, d n	4	8	10	20
Blanks	60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	2	0	1	3
F. O. Prince, d n	12	8	6	26
Geo. F. Williams, d	147	272	285	704
Geo. F. Williams, pop	12	0	41	53
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	13	0	3	16
Roger Wolcott, r	183	65	73	321
Blanks	49	78	74	201
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	172	283	309	764
W. Murray Crane, r	164	63	63	290
Jas. McConnell, d n	4	9	11	24
Blanks	71	91	90	242
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	191	309	334	834
George E. Putnam, r	172	62	79	313
Blanks	58	57	63	178
Representatives 26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	160	44	64	268
John G Gordon, d	192	304	342	838
Mathew M. Mansfield	218	324	349	891
Joseph E. Pattee, r	160	43	63	266
Edward T. Rowell, r	141	47	78	266
Rollin W. Stickney, d	170	294	327	791
Blanks	192	224	203	623
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	174	54	67	295
George A. Perkins, d	196	319	336	851
Blanks	61	65	74	180
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	203	320	338	861
William S. Knox, r	161	65	77	323
Blanks	37	43	61	

WARD THREE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	152	61	36	249
Bryan and Sewall, d, Bryan	8	3	2	13
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	3	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	209	522	486	1217
Palmer and Buckner, d. n	5	5	10	21
Blanks	0	15	18	33
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	2	3	8
F. O. Prince, d. n	8	6	13	27
Geo. F. Williams, d	154	62	7	223
Geo. F. Williams, pop	13	0	7	20
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	17	3	19	39
Roger Wolcott, r	188	498	475	1161
Blanks	52	50	31	133
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	181	66	42	289
W. Murray Crane, r	177	485	465	1127
Jas McConnell, d. n	8	10	3	21
Blanks	67	57	36	160
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	194	76	38	308
George E. Putnam, r	198	481	462	1141
Blanks	45	65	56	166
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	168	443	427	1038
John G. Gordon, d	191	96	59	349
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	227	120	58	411
Joseph E. Pattee, r	153	436	411	1000
Edward T. Rowell, r	164	429	425	1008
Rollin W. Stickney, d	193	110	71	374
Blanks	223	236	217	676
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	178	447	457	1082
George A. Perkins, d	203	95	53	351
Blanks	58	49	46	151
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	201	83	61	345
William S. Knox, r	195	494	462	1151
Blanks	41	45	33	119

WARD FOUR.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	176	231	341	748
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	6	6	13	25
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	3	3	5
McKinley and Hobart, r	224	154	150	528
Palmer and Buckner, d n	5	2	5	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	0	0	2	2
F. O. Prince, d n	10	6	18	34
Geo. F. Williams, d	175	230	343	748
Geo. F. Williams, pop	6	3	7	16
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	21	36	45	102
Roger Wolcott, r	217	136	117	470
Blanks	37	55	57	149
Lieut.-Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	205	268	402	875
W. Murray Crane, r	200	194	106	440
J. McConnell, d n	8	8	21	37
Blanks	58	58	64	180
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	202	291	427	920
George E. Putnam, r	224	141	114	479
Blanks	45	36	54	135
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	102	270	358	839
John F. Conroy, d	191	283	415	889
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	190	116	91	399
Wm. A. Lang, r	191	110	67	387
James P. Ramsay, r	212	131	142	485
Chas. W. Whitman, d	199	283	391	873
Blanks	240	209	261	710
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	210	128	107	445
George A. Perkins, d	211	290	433	940
Blanks	5	50	49	149
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	219	289	435	943
Wm. S. Knox, r	214	141	122	477
Blanks	38	38	38	114

WARD FIVE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall d	202	277	224	703
Bryan and Sewall d Bryan	28	5	3	36
Bryan and Watson pop	1	0	2	3
McKinley and Hobart r	185	160	125	470
Palmer and Buckner d n	2	7	2	11
Governor.				
Allen Coffin pro	3	0	0	3
F. O. Prince d n	10	11	10	31
Geo. F. Williams d	191	260	219	670
Geo. F. Williams pop	22	8	6	30
Geo. F. Williams d Bryan	5	38	21	64
Roger Wolcott r	165	150	111	426
Blanks	57	68	66	181
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan d	218	298	249	765
W. Murray Crane r	156	136	93	385
Jas. McConnell d n	0	15	7	31
Blanks	71	81	84	236
Senator.				
William H. Brigham r	167	136	97	400
Alvan Fisher d	232	333	270	835
Blanks	68	63	64	200
Representatives—27th.				
Michael J. Coughlin d	229	319	272	820
Joseph F. Donohue d	274	350	286	910
Chas. E. Hosmer r	148	126	88	362
Edward A. Stevens r	123	113	86	322
Blanks	139	136	140	415
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould r	160	140	106	406
George A. Perkins d	228	327	277	832
Blanks	89	65	53	207
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington d	233	318	281	832
William S. Knox r	185	167	113	465
Blanks	39	47	42	128

WARD SIX.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	78	170	175	423
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	5	4	10
Bryan and Watson, pop	3	1	0	4
McKinley and Hobart, r	520	260	208	997
Palmer and Buckner, d n	6	4	2	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	1	1	7
F. O. Prince, d n	4	6	10	20
Geo. F. Williams, d	52	173	164	389
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	4	1	6
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	25	28	19	72
Roger Wolcott, r	503	242	183	928
Blanks	32	62	72	156
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	74	197	183	454
W. Murray Crane, r	498	236	173	907
Jas. McConnell, d n	6	6	3	15
Blanks	40	58	87	185
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	74	203	203	479
George E. Putnam, r	508	241	194	943
Blanks	43	65	55	163
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	441	201	156	798
John G. Gordon, d	67	203	202	472
Mathew M. Mansfield, d	98	211	211	520
Joseph E. Pattee, r	428	191	148	767
Edward T. Rowell, r	460	227	169	856
Rollin W. Stickney, d	123	220	221	564
Blanks	238	274	246	758
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	490	243	214	947
George A. Perkins, d	95	217	169	481
Blanks	40	49	68	157
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	94	230	218	542
William S. Knox, r	507	241	189	937
Blanks	24	38	44	106

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	121	159	86	366
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	0	1	2
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	3	6
McKinley and Hobart, r	330	427	289	1046
Palmer and Buckner, d n	12	9	4	25
Blanks	51	31	0	82
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	5	3	13
F. O. Prince, d n	11	15	6	32
Geo. F. Williams, d	110	163	83	355
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	0	5	8
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	11	0	4	15
Roger Wolcott, r	318	400	283	1001
Blanks	62	46	40	148
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	147	181	95	423
W. Murray Crane, r	300	387	281	968
Jas. McConnell, d n	8	9	5	22
Blanks	57	48	40	145
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	153	191	98	442
George E. Putnam, r	316	387	286	989
Blanks	48	53	40	141
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	163	211	104	468
John F. Conroy, d	159	188	104	451
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	321	356	274	951
William A. Lang, r	288	300	[illegible]	898
James P. Ramsay, r	280	329	215	824
Chas. W. Whitman, d	155	223	126	504
Blanks	195	226	197	618
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	301	372	223	896
George A. Perkins, d	170	208	160	538
Blanks	46	51	41	138
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	177	191	118	486
William S. Knox, r	305	397	260	972
Blanks	34	43	37	114

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	41	43	123	207
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	29	6	2	37
Bryan and Watson, pop	2	1	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	449	536	381	1366
Palmer and Buckner, d n	9	5	10	24
Blanks		40	36	
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	4	7	6	17
F. O. Prince, d n	10	8	7	25
Geo. F. Williams, d	28	32	130	190
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	4	3	10
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	8	9	12	29
Roger Wolcott, r	430	516	353	1299
Blanks	40	39	44	120
Lieut.-Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	45	47	134	226
W. Murray Crane, r	433	512	159	1104
Jas. McConnell, d n	7	7	2	16
Blanks		41	53	
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	53	54	143	250
George E. Putnam, r	430	524	358	1312
Blanks	42	36	54	
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	86	78	151	315
John F. Conroy, d	53	55	132	240
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	400	476	323	1199
Wm. A. Lang, r	400	484	307	1191
James P. Ramsay, r	344	418	257	1019
Chas. W. Whitman, d	110	122	196	428
Blanks	187	215	299	701
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	422	506	332	1260
George A. Perkins, d	73	68	170	320
Blanks	31	42	44	117
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	61	64	164	279
Wm. S. Knox, r	428	519	363	1310
Blanks	36	33	38	107

WARD NINE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	93	53	187	333
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	5	53	8	66
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	0	1	2
McKinley and Hobart, r	225	308	354	887
Palmer and Buckner, d. n	12	11	4	27
Blanks	8	53	0	61
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	1	2	6
F. O. Prince, d. n	13	13	14	40
Geo. F. Williams, d	78	108	171	357
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	3	3	7
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	26	5	26	57
Roger Wolcott, r	314	301	335	950
Blanks	35	31	55	121
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	123	130	210	463
W. Murray Crane, r	298	287	318	903
Jas. McConnell, d. n	7	11	15	33
Blanks	41	35	61	137
Senator.				
Wm. H. Brigham, r	299	282	322	903
Alvan Fisher, d	141	155	229	525
Blanks	36	27	58	121

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27th Representative District.

	Coughlin	Donohoe	Hosmer	Stevens
Billerica	197	128	327	307
Dracut	117	143	186	193
Wilmington	23	20	156	141
Carlisle	22	21	53	48
No. Reading	20	21	114	114
Tewksbury	48	59	197	188
Burlington	22	19	70	—
Totals	449	408	994	973

Totals, Coughlin, 1788; Donohoe, 1952; Hosmer, 2175; Stevens, 2074.

Something in the Wind.

The election returns are not troubling the manager of the Merrimack Clothing Co., today. When the scribe called in to ask him how he liked the result of the election and inadvertently if he would any more of those $7.50 coats or if he was hatching any clothing surprises for the near future. Not a word of his intentions could be elicited but the scribe made up his mind by the active movement of goods in the store that something was in preparation though the manager would say not a word.

Two Runaway Boys.

Two Boston boys named Ernest Avella and Earnest Hills, each thirteen years of age, were taken in custody by the police here today and held for the arrival of their parents. They had run away from home.

There are only two ways to get an overcoat that's correct, go to a tailor or come here and buy one. Rogers, Peet & Co.'s overcoats, young men's and men's $15 to $40.

We've a special Kersey overcoat, black and blue—for $10 that we offer in competition with any fifteen dollar overcoat in Lowell.

Merchant tailor length: back closed at bottom; triple warp Italian linings: Skinner satin sleeve linings, a guarantee ticket on every coat—price $10.

Your money back gives you a chance to compare it.

PUTNAM & SON,
166 Central Street.

BOYS

Have you entered the contest for the swell Dayton $100 Bicycle to be given by the Merrimack Clothing Co., to the boy making the most number of words out of the letters in the name "Knockabout?"

The Knockabout Boys' School Suit

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6 30	7 45	6 30	7 53
6 50	8 08	6 40	§7 20
§7 01	7 58	8 00	8 11
*§7 18	8 02	*8 30	§9 10
*§7 27	8 12	*9 00	§9 38
§7 33	8 50	9 15	§10 25
*7 43	8 35	10 00	11 16
*8 50	9 40	10 45	11 58
9 00	10 20	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 40	12 00	§12 56
11 00	12 04	*1 00	§1 56
§11 42	12 25	2 06	3 04
§12 16	1 05	*3 00	§3 40
1 40	2 00	3 30	4 48
3 00	4 12	4 15	§5 37
*§3 55	4 35	*5 00	6 43
4 25	5 30	5 25	6 22
§5 22	6 15	5 50	7 05
5 36	6 50	6 15	7 30
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*§7 51	8 30	*8 00	§8 38
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Sunday Trains.

§7 18	8 02	2 15	§3 05
§7 27	8 12	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 57
§9 19	10 10	5 00	§5 50
§4 25	5 32	7 30	§8 10
§5 58	7 00	8 00	§8 33
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 05	7 30	8 33
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 30	10 25	11 46
10 50	§12 02	11 50	1 06
12 05	1 37	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 58	3 40	4 56
2 30	3 44	4 25	5 45
3 20	4 22	5 01	6 20
4 05	5 23	6 01	7 09
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Sunday Trains.

8 15	8 27	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 28	11 45	12 53
4 15	5 28	5 00	6 27
5 30	6 55	7 00	8 22
7 25	8 45		

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We greet you, President-Elect McKinley. Mr. Bryan, you have our sympathy.

Now for a tariff to recoup the syndicates and a golden medal for Mark Hanna.

Congressman Fitzgerald "Squoze" in again but will be lonely as heretofore.

Whew! ! ! It was a McKinley sweep, no doubt, now all the gold bugs in the country rejoice.

The masses are not sufficiently educated on the money question. It may take four years or more but they must come to free silver if this republic is destined to live and prosper.

Alas, alack Mr. Bryan you fought the good fight but your efforts were not appreciated. The people want longer talks than you can give from the rear platform of a car. They want to attend a financial school for a while, but they will get sufficient schooling in this question during the next four years.

Some cruel republican sends the following note to the Sun:

Mr. Editor—Please say whether you will have those bonfires that you said you were to have after election.

REPUBLICAN.

We lighted a fire this morning but it was not a bonfire and the attendance was neither large nor boisterous. One hod of coal was sufficient.

That is the only kind of fire we intend to light for some time.

"HAVE CONFIDENCE."

Confidence, gentlemen, confidence. Let everybody have confidence. The corporations are confident that McKinley will recoup them by bounties. Mark Hanna is confident that he will have things his own way. There will probably be a confidence bureau opened in the capitol from which the precious stuff will be dispensed. Tom Reed will, as usual, figure in the confidence game, and Mr. Hobart will put up the price of coal just to inspire confidence. Confidence, gentlemen. Don't mind whether you work or not. Have confidence; you're all right if you only have confidence.

FREE SILVER BEATEN.

Yesterday was a day of great anxiety for the candidates. The friends of free silver who have worked so hard during the campaign were greatly disappointed as the returns began to come in to find that the cause for which they were willing to sacrifice so much, received a temporary setback. The pivotal states were closely watched, and as the intelligence from Cook county indicated a majority for McKinley, every succeeding hour brought despatches that raised the hearts of the republicans, and depressed the democrats. The fondest hopes of electing Mr. Bryan were overcome by the power of money, the influence of the gold bugs, the threats and intimidation of large corporations such as railroads and other similar bodies throughout the country. When from forty thousand to one hundred thousand dollars was offered for the electoral vote of democratic or doubtful states, it is easy to see how Mr. Bryan was defeated. The want of funds for legitimate campaign expenses greatly hampered the democratic party throughout the country, and left the weight of the campaign to be borne mainly by Bryan himself. He did all that was possible for man to do, more perhaps than any other living man could do, but it was impossible with such slight assistance to overcome the enemy.

There is no doubt that free silver is bound to come, and we should not be surprised to see the republican party, including Mr. McKinley come out squarely for free silver before the close of the next presidential term.

One thing is certain that McKinley is a firm believer in free silver, and if a bill providing for free coinage be brought before him, we believe that he would not veto it. But of course that depends upon the wishes of Mr. Hanna, even more than the convictions of Mr. McKinley.

A QUEER TOAD HEAVEM

RELIGIOUS SECT IN OHIO WITH STRANGE CEREMONIES.

The Ancient Rite of Foot Laving Practiced There—What a Correspondent Witnessed on a Recent Visit to the Out of the Way Place.

The hamlet of Toad Heaven is away from the beaten path of commerce, in the extreme northwestern part of Jackson county in Ohio. Strangers seldom visit the place, and the members of Toad Heaven community are ignorant of the outer world.

The name of Toad Heaven applies to the hamlet, the community and to the unsightly log church where this singular religious sect worships. The dwellers of this strange community are ignorant and superstitious. They came originally from Virginia, where they were prominent among the uneducated natives known as poor white trash.

One who visited Toad Heaven recently says the religious ceremonies in vogue in the community are grotesque and highly sensational. Their "Amens" and "Praise the Lords" are loud enough to shake the hills, and every month a foot washing ceremony, called a "sacrament," is performed as one of the church rites, corresponding to the communion in civilized churches.

Upon a recent Sunday every member of the community present in the unsightly log church sat with bare feet, awaiting a signal from a leader to commence a ceremony much needed by many feet, which were being rubbed together under the seats. The men and women were armed with a towel, worn like a sash, and tin basin, which does secular duty at home.

If a man's memory happened to be good, he would be able to remember a rather disjointed sermon delivered by an old man, who said in part: "I hain't prepared no discourse. The Lord says to his sarvants, 'Git up and deliver yo'self, an at the same hour I'll fill yo' mouth with ut-t'rance.' I hain't got no larnin and never went to school, but I know I am a chosen servant to pint the way to sinners. Some men who have larnin ain't Christians, an, if they don't reform, everlastin hell will be their sheer of the Lord's gifts. This foot washin of our'n ain't for the purpose of cleanin dirt from our feet, but it's a sacrymint handed down to his faithful followyers, who washed his disipules' feet and dried them with a towel at the Last Supper."

The orator, encouraged by a chorus of amens, further declared that while he was not "one o' yer polished, high toned, stuck up preachers with fine clothes an standin collars an sinful souls," he was "able to preach truths as the Lord puts 'em in my mouth." Then he preached on the text, "Where art thou?" He never found out, nor did his listeners know where he was, but his agony was superb. In his rambling talk he became frenzied.

The ceremonies of the foot washing followed the sermon. In one corner of the church was a barrel of rainwater, filled from the roof by a tin pipe let in through a window. To it each woman went and filled her basin. Then each man commenced singing a hymn, and each woman, choosing not her husband, but any brother she wished, laved his feet, one at a time, in the basin. Then she unwound the towel from her waist and wiped each foot dry. Then came the opportunity of the women to have their feet bathed by their brothren. The men went at it brusquely.

Each woman sat and sang.

After it all the members of the Toad Heaven sect sang a hymn and sought their miserable log cabin homes in the hills round about.—Chicago Tribune.

A POLITICIAN TESTED.

A Congressman Who Could Not Play Checkers to Suit Constituents.

"One of the ablest men in congress will lose a number of votes in his district in Georgia," said a department clerk to a Star reporter.

"A friend of mine wrote me some time ago that the judge was safe so far as his re-election was concerned, but my friend visited one of the back counties a few days ago and found that a decided change in sentiment had come about. He asked one of the political leaders:

"'What is the matter with the judge?'

"'He ain't no good.'

"'Why, what did he ever vote for that you are not in favor of?'

"'I dunno.'

"'Did he vote against anything you wanted passed?'

"'Not as I knows on.'

"'The newspapers all speak well of him.'

"'Newspapers is allus lyin.'

"'What is the matter?'

"'Waal,' he comed out here, an Tom Wilkins beat 'im playin checkers. Tom kain't play a little bit, an what kin o' a figger kin a man cut in congress who kain't play checkers better'n thet?'"—Washington Star.

The Hose Was Like a Thing of Life.

A test was made the other afternoon at the parliament buildings by Chief Engineer Wickens of the fire apparatus with which the building is supplied. A hose was run from the basement out to the lawn at the north side, and with 160 pounds of pressure a stream was thrown from a 1½ inch nozzle to the roof. An amusing incident occurred when the test was being made. The 160 pounds of pressure proved too much for the two men who were directing the hose, and the nozzle took on that swaying motion which is due to the great pressure of water forward. The men hung on manfully, while the group of spectators jumped behind them, revolving as they revolved with the nozzle. Soon, however, they began whirling so quickly that it was impossible to keep behind them, and a wild rush for shelter took place among the spectators. One of the men holding the hose rolled over on his back, and the other dropped the hose and jumped out of harm's way, while the hose, victorious, tossed its brass nozzle hither and thither, spouting a heavy stream of water in every direction.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Does This Mean an Ocean Transit Trust?

Mr. Ismay, chairman of the White Star line of steamers, gave a dinner in London recently at the Reform club to the chairmen and managers of the Atlantic steamship lines. Messrs. Griscom, Edmund Taylor and Wilding represented the American line. The meeting discussed various trade questions.—New York World.

Jamaica Shuts Out Our Cattle.

The Jamaican authorities, on the strength of a report from an expert on cattle diseases, has issued an order prohibiting the importation until further notice of cattle and animals from the United States, Central and South America, the Leeward Islands, South Africa and Australia.

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THE NEW YORK ELECTIONS

HOW THE DAY IS CELEBRATED IN THE METROPOLIS.

Picturesque Holiday Sights of a Great City. To a Large Class of People This Is the One Great Day of the Year—The Floating Vote at the Polls.

Mr. Ernest Ingersoll has written for The Century a paper on "Election Day In New York." Mr. Ingersoll, after speaking of those who take advantage of the holiday to flock out of town, says:

Another class rejoice in this holiday as an opportunity to sit at home enjoying domestic comfort, reading in slippered ease the postponed book or fondling the pet hobby. The "people" call them "silk stockings," and have no fear of their beautifully modulated expressions of censure, because they rarely back it up by a vote.

Down at the polls they cannot understand this frame of mind. A certain number of citizens, to be sure, come, deposit their votes as quickly as possible and go away with an attitude of having performed a disagreeable duty. But to the many who are more or less visible there all day this is the most important occasion of the year, and there is hardly anything they would not rather do than miss it. To be sure, it may be worth a few dollars to them, directly or indirectly, but plainly they look further than this and have a hazy sense of the dignity of the act, comparable to the fetich worshiper's notion of religion. They are not ignorant, foreign, dollar a day laborers, stupid and besotted with liquor, but men earning wages enough to enable them to pay their footing in the barroom club, and having sufficient brains to make them serviceable to their "captain." Alert with the keenness of the street, knowing everybody, and feeling above none, they are wholly devoted to "the cause" as long as they get fair treatment.

It is these men who make the voting places picturesque. In rough garb and with lordly swagger they sandwich themselves between neat and dignified lawyers, merchants and clergymen, proudly sensible of their equality at the polls. Sometimes the motley line reaches out of doors and down the street. As soon as one has voted he joins the loiterers outside and pompously lights a cigar, scornful of the black pipe more familiar to his teeth.

In the afternoon the brisk captain, who has been dodging all day from poll to poll, obtains an approximate list of those of his side who have not yet voted, and dispatches workers to "bring them out." They search their haunts, and presently return with recruits. Some of these delinquents have simply been tardy, others are sick or lame or blind, and are gently conducted to the polls, perhaps in a carriage, placed in the line, and carefully assisted to the ballot box. The attention he gets on election day is a genuine comfort to many a poor devil kicked about all the rest of the year. Now and then a henchman seizes a captain and whispers portentously in his ear. A moment later he hurries off, looking very important, and soon reappears with a companion, who is sent on alone, while he himself stays back at the corner. This means that some voter has been ascertained to be out of town or sick abed, and that a willing and thrifty stranger has come to vote (illegally) in his name. This is only one of many tricks election officers and watchers must guard against toward the end of the day, and sometimes at a cost to the latter of no small courage, for whisky emboldens the roughest workers to try to "stand on his head" any one who interferes with them.

The day wears on—Sunday without the churches, a gray day in every sense of the word. In the lower wards, where folks are close enough together to feel one another's warmth and where it really matters whether Mike O'Farron or Barney Cadigan is to be alderman or coroner, each crossroads has an excited crowd, but up town the side streets are deserted, and even Broadway and Fifth avenue are dead.

The first to break the silence are the boys crying the afternoon papers, but there is nothing in them except clever guesswork, unless the tension factions at some polling place or the wild foolishness of a tipsy worker has brought on a fight or two. Election day rows are now remarkably rare in New York.

Loiterers increase about the polling places, and voters crowd forward, fearful lest they be too late. The weary inspectors and clerks must now work harder than ever, and the watchers watch their very best. This is the time when the schemer gathers results—gets in his fine work, as he would tell you. Men present themselves with specious claims, politicians bulldoze, and it is only the most determined guardian of the purity of the ballot who in this last hour can withstand the pressure. It happened in several districts in 1894, when the voter was called upon to fold and select from 23 ballots, that there was not time enough in the day for all those entitled to the franchise to reach the ballot box, and voting twice in one place was out of the question.

America's Need of Cavalry.

Discussing the possibilities of a war with England and the strength of the United States militia or national guard, some of our newspapers lately boasted that an army of 100,000 men could be thrown into Canada within a few weeks. How many of these men would be mounted on horseback? It is a very pertinent inquiry, for it requires from three to six months' training to make a cavalryman, and some of the states which furnish large contingents to the national guard have not a single troop of horse. If there is any lesson that the failure of the Confederacy can teach us, it is this: That an invasion of Canada—and I do not mean that such a thing is in the least probable or desirable—made without sufficient cavalry would be as barren of permanent results as it would be if made with an army of crossbowmen.—"Why the Confederacy Failed," by Duncan Rose, in November Century.

Paid For In Rabbits.

Asbury Pollitt, a farmer living in the eastern part of Mason county, Ky., started for Maysville on the family nag. On the way he met Bud Siley, a hunter. In the course of conversation Pollitt told Siley he wanted to sell his horse. Thereupon Siley offered Pollitt one dozen and a half rabbits which he had killed that morning. Pollitt accepted the offer. This is the lowest price on record for a Kentucky horse.

Watches For Police Bonds.

Watches are accepted as security for fines by the police courts of Knoxville, and 40 unredeemed ones, held for two years, are to be sold at auction by the city.

Wise Weyler.

Weyler was wise anyway. No one will deny that the best thing to do is to conquer Cuba before tackling the United States.—Chicago Post.

Made In Germany.

"Yes," continued the manager of the wild west show modestly, "that is quite a warwhoop. Our solo Indians were all educated in Germany, you know!"—Detroit Tribune.

SUNBEAMS.

Two Freaks, Perhaps.

This is not the famous two headed museum freak, but the Whizzer sisters on a tandem.—Wheel.

How It Failed.

"And you four brothers were named Edmund, Edgar, Edward and Edwin, were you? What could have been your parents object in that?"

"They wanted to keep us from ever being nicknamed."

"Did it have that effect?"

"Not exactly. We've always been called Chuck, Snorkey, Flipps and Pilgarlio."—Chicago Tribune.

From a Dime Novel.

The heavy hand of Terrible Tom came down with a resounding thwack on the stooping shoulders of the aged miser.

"Ah, ha!" exclaimed the desperado in exultant tones. "At last I have ye in me power!"

A silent struggle for life and death commenced.

Tottering on the brink of the awful chasm, the two forms swayed hither and thither. At times they could be seen swaying here and there.

The aged miser was old, but not young. Nevertheless he was nervy.

Aha!

Over the brink they go, crashing on to rock and crag, until their crushed and crumbled corpses land with two distinct sull and thickening duds at the bottom of the precipitate precipice, 43,000 feet below.

There they continued the struggle.—New York Sunday World.

No Exceptions to This Rule.

It was a fidgety, fussy, middle aged woman who stepped to the window of the Central railroad ticket office at 10:30 the other morning and inquired the time the next train left for Rome. "The next train leaves at 10:52," courteously responded Assistant Ticket Agent Hennessy. "Has it gone yet?" queried the woman. "No," quietly answered Mr. Hennessy. "The next train has never gone."—Utica Observer.

Mission Ship Dayspring Lost.

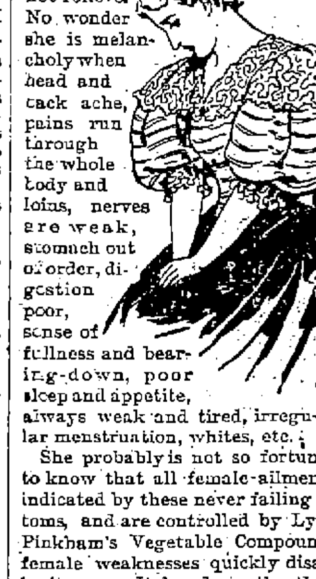
The missionary ship Dayspring has been wrecked on a rock north of New Caledonia island. The captain and seven men escaped in a boat, but the remaining nine persons who were on board are supposed to have perished.

MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

AFRAID SOMETHING DREADFUL IS GOING TO HAPPEN.

How a Little Baby Girl Rolled the Clouds Away.

Of course a woman will naturally see the dark side of everything when tortured by some form of female disease, which her doctor cannot or does not relieve. No wonder she is melancholy when head and back ache, pains run through the whole body and loins, nerves are weak, stomach out of order, digestion poor, sense of fullness and bearing-down, poor sleep and appetite, always weak and tired, irregular menstruation, whites, etc.



She probably is not so fortunate as to know that all female ailments are indicated by these never failing symptoms, and are controlled by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; all female weaknesses quickly disappear by its use. It has been the thinking woman's safeguard for twenty years, and all druggists sell large quantities of it because it can be relied upon.

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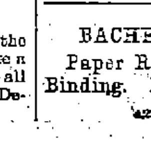

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Corrected to Oct. 4, 1896.

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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.20, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Haverhill, 6.30, 6.50, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m. 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.
For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.
For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.
For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and the Provinces, 5.10 p. m., except Saturday. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Montreal and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.
For Eastport and St. John (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays, 12.05 p. m.
For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Rockland), Tuesdays and Friday at 5.10 p. m.
†Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 4, 1896, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 5 45, 6 30, ¶6 50, *7 43, *8 50, ¶930, *9 40, 11 00 a. m.; 1 40, ¶3.00, 4.25, *5 36 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m.

Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5 48, 6 33, ¶6 53, 7 01, 7 18, *7 27 7 33, *7 48, *8 57, 9 03, *9 50 11 03, 11 42 a. m. 12 16, 1 43, ¶3 03, *3 58, 4 00, 4 28, 5 22, 5 38, 6 21 7 51 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7 18, *7.27, 8 48, *9.19 a. m.; 4 25, 5 53 p. m.
For Woburn, 6 30, 7 01, 7 33, 7 45, 11 00 a. m.; 1 40, 4 28, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m., 4 25, 5 58 p. m.
*Express. ¶Via Bedford.
For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m.; 4.15 p. m.
For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.
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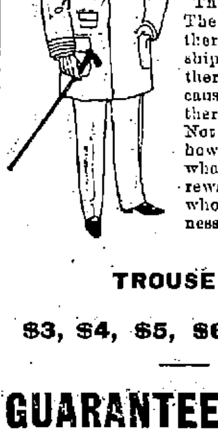

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for probate, by William A. Hogan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Daily Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell; the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

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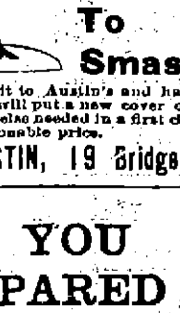

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Nebraska is Still Involved in Doubt.

CLOSE CONTESTS IN THE FAR WEST.

Electoral Vote and Complexion of Congress.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Chairman Post of the Republican state committee claims the state for McKinley by a majority of from 7000 to 8000. "We have," he says, "received very scattering returns, and it is impossible to give anything like accurate figures." McKinley's majority in Lincoln is 1018. The city has generally been Republican by a considerably larger vote.

While Chairman Post is still publicly claiming the state for McKinley, attaches of his headquarters say that he really regards the state as doubtful, and possibly as lost. Returns so far received are so meagre as to render it impossible to give a very intelligent opinion, but so far as they go, they indicate sufficient to give the state to Bryan by about 6000, if maintained, the majority will certainly be very small either way. Chairman Manahan of the Lancaster county Democratic committee predicts 20,000 Democratic majority, and says he is supported in this claim by the fusion state chairman. He says the Lincoln majority is a loss to the Republicans of 1500, and that the full returns from the county precincts outside the city will reduce McKinley's majority to about 300. Manahan expresses the belief that the fusionists will elect six congressmen from Nebraska. He asserts that Bradley is certainly elected from this, the First, district.

Omaha, Nov. 4.—Returns from Nebraska precincts are still very meagre, but indicate that McKinley has carried Nebraska. Eighty-seven precincts in Nebraska, outside of Omaha, give McKinley 10,476, Bryan 9080.

MINNESOTA'S LANDSLIDE.

Lind May Come Out Safely From the Republican Avalanche.

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—Every county so far reporting gives a big McKinley majority. The only man on the Democratic state ticket who has a chance of election is Lind, for whom the Scandinavians have voted very extensively. Lind, however, seems to be buried under the McKinley avalanche. It is a clean Republican sweep on congressmen, except the Seventh district.

COLORADO FOR BRYAN.

Plurality of the Silver Candidates May Reach 100,000.

Denver, Nov. 4.—The vote is reported to be about the same as two years ago (130,000). There is no question of the election of the Bryan and Sewall electors by over 100,000 plurality. State chairman of the Silver Republicans claims the election of Adams, Democratic-Silver-Republican candidate for governor, by 140,000 plurality.

IN DOUBTFUL COLUMN.

Both Sides Claim a Majority of Votes In Oregon.

Portland, Or., Nov. 4.—Chairman Hirsch of the Republican committee says McKinley may carry this city by 5000 and the state by 5000 to 10,000. The fusionists concede McKinley 2500 in this city, but claim the Bryan majority in the state will wipe this out and leave Bryan's majority 5000.

VOTE IS CLOSE.

Result In Washington Uncertain, With Fusionists Claiming Everything.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—The vote is very heavy. Indications point to Republican gains, but the vote will be close. Republicans expect to elect at least one of the two congressmen. The fusionists continue to claim everything by large majorities, while the Republican state headquarters are confident of a small plurality.

SLOW COUNTING.

Result In Utah Uncertain, but It Favors Bryan.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4.—It will be late tonight before the count can be completed. Indications are now that Bryan has carried the state by at least 10,000 majority. The legislature, which will elect a United States senator, is still claimed by both parties.

M'KINLEY OR BRYAN?

Chances Are About Even For Either Carrying the Lone Star State.

Dallas, Nov. 4.—Reports from 60 chairmen indicate McKinley has carried Texas.

Slow Counting In Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—It is doubtful if the complete returns for St. Louis will be received before tonight. Only 68 out of 426 precincts have been returned, and five out of 28 wards in the city have not been heard from at all. The returns from the state outside the city of St. Louis are even more meagre and incomplete.

Republicans Concede Montana.

Helena, Mon., Nov. 4.—Chairman Herschfeld of the Republican state executive committee conceded the state to the fusion ticket. The Republicans may elect a few county officers in wool growing districts. The legislature will be Democratic without doubt.

Clean Sweep For Democrats.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Returns are coming in slowly, but indications are that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, electing the entire congressional delegation, and that Bryan has carried the state by not less than 30,000 majority.

Confusion In Kansas.

Topeka, Nov. 4.—As there are 10 tickets in Kansas, in some places the count under the Australian ballot system is very slow. Estimates by Republican state chairman indicate that the state will go safely for McKinley. He will not give out figures.

"Fraud and Violence."

Atlanta, Nov. 4.—A. E. Buck, chairman of the Republican state central committee of Georgia, says: "Fraud and violence prevail in portions of the state. The returns are slowly coming in. The Democratic majority in Georgia is largely reduced. It may not exceed 10,000.

The Golden State.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The Republican state committee say their reports show gains for Republican ticket, and claim this state by a decided majority. The vote from Democratic districts in this city, so far as counted, show Republican gains.

Wisconsin For McKinley.

Milwaukee, Nov. 4.—National Committeeman E. C. Wall and State Central Committeeman Peck of the Democratic party concede that Wisconsin will go Republican between 50,000 and 75,000.

From Idaho.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Senator Fred E. Dubois wires from Blackfoot, Ida., as follows: "Idaho will give at least five to one for Bryan.

INTERESTING FIGURES

Showing Electoral Vote and Probable Complexion of Next Congress.

The Electoral Vote.

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Dbt'fl.
Alabama	..	11	..
Arkansas	..	8	..
California	..	9	..
Colorado	..	4	..
Connecticut	6	..	..
Delaware	3	..	..
Florida	..	4	..
Georgia	..	10	..
Idaho	..	3	..
Illinois	21	..	..
Indiana	15	..	..
Iowa	13	..	..
Kansas	10	..	..
Kentucky	13	..	..
Louisiana	..	8	..
Maine	6	..	..
Maryland	8	..	..
Massachusetts	15	..	..
Michigan	14	..	..
Minnesota	9	..	..
Mississippi	..	9	..
Missouri	..	17	..
Montana	..	3	..
Nebraska	8	..	..
Nevada	..	3	..
New Hampshire	4	..	..
New Jersey	10	..	..
New York	36	..	..
North Carolina	..	11	..
North Dakota	..	..	3
Ohio	23	..	..
Oregon	4	..	..
Pennsylvania	32	..	..
Rhode Island	4	..	..
South Carolina	..	9	..
South Dakota	4	..	..
Tennessee	..	12	..
Texas	..	15	..
Utah	..	..	3
Vermont	4	..	..
Virginia	..	12	..
Washington	4	..	..
West Virginia	..	..	6
Wisconsin	12	..	..
Wyoming	..	..	3
	281	151	16
Total electoral votes			447
Necessary to elect			224

The Next Congress.

(Estimated from latest returns.)

	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama	..	9
Arkansas	..	6
California	6	2
Colorado	..	2
Connecticut	4	..
Delaware	1	..
Florida	..	2
Georgia	..	11
Idaho	..	1
Illinois	18	4
Indiana	9	4
Iowa	9	2
Kansas	5	2
Kentucky	7	4
Louisiana	..	6
Maine	4	..
Maryland	6	..
Massachusetts	12	1
Michigan	9	3
Minnesota	6	1
Mississippi	..	6
Missouri	8	7
Montana	..	1
Nebraska	2	4
Nevada	..	1
New Hampshire	2	..
New Jersey	8	..
New York	29	6
North Carolina	..	9
North Dakota	1	..
Ohio	19	2
Oregon	2	..
Pennsylvania	27	3
Rhode Island	2	..
South Carolina	..	7
South Dakota	2	..
Tennessee	4	8
Texas	..	13
Utah	..	1
Vermont	2	..
Virginia	..	10
Washington	2	..
West Virginia	..	4
Wisconsin	10	..
Wyoming	..	1
Arizona	..	1
New Mexico	..	1
Oklahoma	..	1
Totals	213	143

At McKinley's Home.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—At 9 o'clock Major McKinley received a telegram of congratulation from Mr. Hobart, his associate on the national ticket, as follows: "Congratulations with all my heart on the glorious achievement under your magnificent leadership. The manhood of the republic has asserted itself, and the nation's honor and integrity will never again be assailed by the same forces. Mrs. Hobart joins me in congratulations."

Major McKinley, at 10:45 p. m., received the following telephone message from Chairman Hanna from Cleveland: "The feeling here beggars description. The boys at the Union club send love and hearty congratulations. You are elected to the highest office of the land by a people who have always loved and trusted you."

At 1:30 o'clock the din about the McKinley cottage was as deafening as ever. The interior of the house looked as though an army had marched through it, being littered with debris. The crowd had gone, but a few of Major McKinley's close associates remained with him in the dining room, where coffee was served over the late returns.

At 12:30 McKinley received a tremendous ovation from his Canton townspeople. He took a position on top of the porch of his residence, and waved his salutations to the enthusiastic concourse. The midnight was light as day by hundreds of flambeau and blazing fires of red and green. Major McKinley made no address. For an hour the remarkable spectacle proceeded.

Bryan Has Hope.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bryan's immediate friends said that at midnight he did not consider the case as definitely lost, but that, on the contrary, he considered that there was still ground for hope of his success. He had expected that the first returns, being from the large cities, would be against him. He left orders that the principal bulletins be sent to his room and he read them there, manifesting special interest in the reports from Nebraska. Mrs. Bryan did not lose her customary cheerfulness in the face of the adverse reports, and she appeared well prepared for the worst, though evidently not devoid of hope for better fortune than the reports appeared to show. She retired at 10 o'clock, leaving the entertainment of her guests to the friends who had assembled.

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ALTGELD DOWNED

Beneath Avalanche of Votes in Illinois.

RESULT OF BATTLE IN THE MIDDLE WEST

Ends Generally in Favor of McKinley.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley and Tanner have carried Illinois by over 100,000. Tanner is running ahead of his ticket, but somewhat behind McKinley. Chairman Hitch of the Republican state central committee said: "It has all gone for McKinley and Tanner by 125,000. Tanner is running way ahead of his ticket."

Captain John R. Tanner arrived at the Republican headquarters at the Great Northern hotel and was immediately congratulated as the next governor of Illinois. He said: "McKinley and I have carried the state by considerable over 100,000 majority."

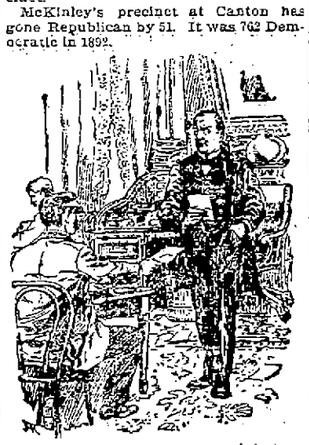
Chairman Hinrichson of the Democratic state committee conceded Cook county to McKinley [illegible] and admitted that the indications point to the rest of the state going the same way.

THE BUCKEYE STATE.

Indications That McKinley's Lead May Reach 65 000, Mark.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Twenty-one city precincts give McKinley 3743, Bryan, 2403, a Republican gain of 40 in each precinct.

McKinley's precinct at Canton has gone Republican by 51. It was 762 Democratic in 1892.



MAJOR M'KINLEY RECEIVING MESSAGES IN HIS LIBRARY.

Twelve precincts in Hamilton county give McKinley 2307; Bryan, 1919; Levering, 3.

Thirteen precincts in Toledo give McKinley 2327; Bryan, 1649.

The Cincinnati Post claims McKinley carries Ohio by 65,000.

GIVEN TO M'KINLEY

Democrats Admit That They Are Beaten In Michigan.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—It is generally conceded that Michigan has gone Republican by from 25,000 to 50,000 plurality. The latter is the figure given out by Chairman Ferry of the Republican state committee. Secretary Alward of the Republican committee claims the election of all 12 congressmen, but the Democrats still hope to save some of their candidates. The Detroit Tribune (free silver), on the basis of scattering returns thus far received, estimates McKinley's plurality in the state, outside of this county, at 29,000. The upper peninsula went strongly for McKinley, and from present indications the lower peninsula will do likewise.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Chairman Ferry of the Republican state central committee claims the state for McKinley by 50,000 plurality, and 10 out of 12 congressmen. He concedes two to be in doubt.

IN OLD KENTUCKY.

McKinley Wins and Republicans and Silverites Are Surprised.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 4.—Latest news from the state indicates that McKinley will carry the state by a much greater majority than Bradley carried it in 1895, for governor. The state will probably give McKinley 25,000 to 30,000. The result is a great surprise to the silver leaders, and the size of the result is a surprise to the gold standard men. Not much news has been heard from the western part of the state, where free silver is strongest, but the increased Republican majority in the central and eastern parts put the state beyond question in the gold standard column.

IOWA IN LINE.

Plurality For McKinley May Yet Reach the 100,000 Mark.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—Indications here are that Iowa will give McKinley a plurality of 80,000 or 100,000. The returns are coming in slowly, however. Gains are reported in almost every instance.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—The Register (Rep.) claims that the state will give McKinley over 50,000 plurality, and elect an entire Republican congressional delegation.

The Democratic state central committee concedes Iowa to McKinley.

VOTE OF HOOSIERS

Showed That They Preferred McKinley to Bryan.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Indiana will give McKinley a plurality of 30,000, 11 Republican congressmen will be elected, and two are in doubt. The Republicans will carry both branches of the legislatures by a safe majority. Eighty precincts in Indiana give McKinley 8877, Bryan, 6934; Palmer, 23, a net Republican gain of 822 over '92.

WATSON FROZEN OUT.

Mississippi Gave a Big Majority For the Democratic Ticket.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi gives Bryan a majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000. Seven Democratic candidates for congress are elected by majorities ranging from 1000 to 5000.

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ON AN ELECTION NIGHT

HOW A NEWSPAPER HANDLES RETURNS.

Results Attained Only After Weeks of Preparation—Getting the Figures, Tabulating Them and Going to Press—Busy Scenes In Every Department of the Paper.

How a newspaper "covers" a presidential election is to most people a problem and a puzzle. Briefly, it makes preparations commensurate to the size of the task, employs the most trusted agencies obtainable, spends money without stint to secure early and late returns, tabulates them and displays them in the most attractive form, describes in a telling way the "story" of election day, comments on the results on its editorial page and goes to press and is on the streets at the earliest moment possible. The details are almost numberless, but no great newspaper neglects them.

Preparation is as necessary in "covering" an election as is fire apparatus in putting out a fire. Here is what a paper like the Chicago Tribune sets out to do:

First.—Print telegrams from every state in the Union showing the vote for president, giving in the case of the more important states the vote by counties and arrange the not results in an electoral table prominently displayed where it will attract the reader's eye, and, next to the headlines, tell the main story of the election.

Second.—Print similar telegrams regarding the fate of the various state tickets, displaying the names of the successful candidates under the headings for the different states.

Third.—Ascertain the political complexion of newly elected legislatures and show at a glance the political standing of the next United States senate.

Fourth.—Print the congressional returns and present a table showing the standing of the new house of representatives and a complete and correct list of members.

Fifth.—Pay special attention to the legislature of its own state, printing the returns and similar tables and lists of the new state senate and house of representatives.

The earliest returns on election night come in the shape of bulletins from scattered sections of the country, and when intelligently compared with the vote of the previous election show the general drift of things in those sections. The political editor, who has an important place in the telegraph room of the newspaper on election night, has the vote of 1892 where it can be consulted instantly. A steady percentage of gain for one side or the other in the precincts heard from is of the greatest significance to him, enabling him to forecast with reasonable accuracy the result in a given state. His assistants, generally expert accountants, under his immediate supervision, are prepared to co-operate with him in some prearranged division of the work. The political editor himself, for instance, probably devotes himself to ascertaining and tabulating the results, while his colaborers "handle" the United States senate, the lower house of congress and the legislature. It should be explained here that the duties of this particular corps of figurers and tabulators do not include the preparation of the dispatches for the printer. They will merely glance at the returns, take off the figures they need and pass them back to the telegraph editors, whose business it is to read and "head" them and send them to the composing room.

In addition to the usual staff of reporters it was found necessary formerly to employ a small army of expert accountants to "help out" on election night by keeping tally of the votes and computing totals. These were engaged in advance, and their services were in demand not only on election night, but often for several nights afterward in tabulating the revised figures. Under this year's system the necessity for extra help, so far as the newspapers directly are concerned, was largely reduced. The small army of accountants will be employed by and work for the City Press association, thereby simplifying the task of the newspapers.

Of course no big paper goes to press the morning after an election without a telling cartoon on its first page, pictures and sketches of the new president and vice president and other prominent winners, and interviews with and gossip concerning the successful and losing candidates, their bearing under victory or defeat and their future plans. All these things must be arranged for in advance, even if it be necessary to have two cartoons ready, each telling a different story, but one of them "warranted to fit."

Another important adjunct of the work on election night is the reception and display of bulletins to the thousands that crowd about the newspaper offices. No one who has ever witnessed the brilliant illumination about the Chicago Tribune building at such times and the latest returns flashed by a stereopticon on an immense screen across the way will forget the scene or the enthusiasm of such portions of the crowd as were pleased with the results at the ballot box. The bulletin service must be engaged in advance, and all the accessories provided, and the paper that fails to meet these expectations is forthwith voted a back number.

It is 5 o'clock election afternoon, and as the polls close at 4 in Chicago the night and telegraph editors, the political editor, the city editor and his assistants, and the expert accountants and department men who aid both the telegraph and local forces election night are already at their desks getting everything into shape for a long siege. Owing to the difference in time, returns from the east come in earlier than those from the west. Significant "straws" may have been received from New England, New York and other states along the Atlantic in the form of early bulletins, which are hurried to the stereopticon room and thrown on the screen across the street. The first installment of the crowd about the building has gathered, and while it is not as noisy as it will be later on it is sufficiently enthusiastic for a starter. City precinct bulletins are coming in now and being displayed on the screen, and the crowd is warming up. Then comes another batch from the east or from Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and points in Illinois, and though it is still early the tin horn is in evidence and the grip car man has to feel his way through the crowd. By and by the returns take on a more definite character, and the statisticians in the telegraph and local rooms buckle down to real work. The receiver at the pneumatic tubes is doing business now, every moment or two bringing a small, cylinder shaped, leather covered box within which are returns from one to a dozen different points—local or outside. In the telegraph operators' room quick fingers are transcribing on typewriters what a dozen special correspondents here and there, hundreds or thousands of miles away, are sending over the wires. The blanks in the hands of the political editor and his assistants are slowly filling up, the telegraph editors are sending to the composing room miscellaneous copy and election dispatches other than returns, and the typesetting machines transform it into glittering lines of type. Later these metal lines help to fill the columns and pages of the great day after election paper.

Down stairs in the local room they have already received a number of complete ward, precinct and country-town tables. The totals are taken off for the presidential, gubernatorial and other tables, and the "flimsy" copy rushed up stairs to be put in type.

It is the next thing to impossible election night to get total votes from all over the country, outside of the large cities, where the methods of counting and of transmitting results are much more rapid than in rural communities. In fact, so largely do the first night's returns consist of more or less accurate estimates of pluralities that the best a newspaper can do, at least in its first edition, is to print plurality tables. If not in its second edition, then in its first edition of the following day the reader will get uniformly the showing of total votes received by the opposing candidates, with the pluralities as figured out.

The editorial writers go home even somewhat earlier than usual the afternoon of election day, but they make up for it at night, when their presence is required at the office to comment on the all absorbing news as it finally crystallizes into ascertained facts. Generally an extra plate of the editorial page is required in the second edition to correct some of the earlier figures and make them agree with those received later and which will appear in the news columns.

The composing room is a fairly lively place any night, but election night sees it at its liveliest, especially after 9 or 10 o'clock. When election "copy" begins to come up, it comes in almost an uninterrupted rush until the finish. Never is the composing room system of classification and expedition put to a severer test, and never are the "make up" men more thankful for the invention of machine set instead of hand set type, especially when it comes to putting tabular matter into the forms. The press and mailing rooms—always busy places—are busier than usual election night, for the demand for extra papers is always enormous and necessitates an increased force in both departments to meet it.

The liveliest part of election night is the period between the first and second editions, or from 1 to 3 a. m. After the force of editors, reporters and statisticians have snatched a hasty lunch of sandwiches and coffee brought in from a down town restaurant they resume work on the returns still piling up before them. Consulting the proofs of the matter sent out and put in type earlier, they strike out here, insert new figures there, kill a heading and write a new one, change tables to conform to changes in the tables, cut down articles to fit them to required spaces and continue to send out new matter in the shape of later dispatches or new tables. Meanwhile the night editor is scheming out the arrangement of his "open" pages for the second edition, seeking to improve the old order and to present the newest and most important developments in the most conspicuous way. While in the midst of "making up" he shuts off the supply of "copy" to be set for the second edition and orders whatever is to come marked "extra" if it proves of sufficient importance to warrant another edition. Finally, about 3 o'clock, after pinching an article here, adding a piece of election matter there, to fill a column and using his miscellaneous short news pieces to fill holes, he sends the paper to press. It is a tradition that the average night editor "sweats blood" on divers and sundry occasions and that his temper, at least during working hours, is not exactly angelic. If there is anything that might justify this impression, it would be his exasperating experiences on election night.—Chicago Tribune.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Wholesale Methods of Indians In Puget Sound.

The annual fall slaughter of the herds of deer that for centuries have lived practically unmolested on the many small islands in Puget sound has commenced. Last year three bands of pot hunters shipped several hundred deer to the neighboring markets and lessened the size of the herds very materially. Most of these hunters were Indians from the Tulalip reservation at the mouth of the Snohomish river.

The trade last year proved so profitable to the Indian managers, Jack Moses and Long Charley, that they have hired a number of Indians for three months and taken up their headquarters at Holmes harbor on Whidby island. They are well equipped with guns and have a pack of 20 excellent hounds. From this point they send out boats with men and hounds to the surrounding islands, and a rented steam launch brings their game to market. This wholesale hunting will undoubtedly destroy the entire herds. This slaughter is in direct violation of state game laws.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Self Rocking Chair.

At the residence of Charles Hammond in Columbus, O., there is considerable uneasiness over the mysterious actions of a certain rocking chair which seems endowed with certain supernatural powers. With no one near the chair will begin to rock to and fro, and this has not only been noticed by Mrs. Hammond, but by her mother, who was on a visit and know nothing of any unusual manifestations.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Confidence.

Dah's one t'ing 'bout dis country, an I tells yo' dis foh sho'—
She's boun ter come out safely, ez she's allus done befo'.
We's gwinter feel de same ole sense ob proudness when we sees
De stahs an stripes a-shinin an a-billowin in de breeze.
Yo' kin allus fin some floaters on de tide ob eloquence,
But it's hard ter make it big enough ter drown dah common sense.
Yo' kin 'pend upon er nation foh ter stan mos' any test
When de people keeps a-hopin an a-tryin foh de best.
An f'um de no'thern waters, whah de chilly breezes blow,
Ter de summer time dat lingers roun de gulf ob Mexico,
Yo'll fin de one opinion dat'll never go astray—
Dis country is earth's greatest, an we'll keep it dat-a-way.
Yo' kain't mistend wif coaxin, an dey wakes up f'um de dreams
Dah dey sometimes lapses inter fro' some hypnotizin schemes.
We's boun ter be one fam'ly f'um de east cl'ar fro' de west,
While de people keeps a hopin an a-tryin foh de best.

—Washington Star.

Too Late.

Do Sappy—When I was a child, I had a fall that knocked me senseless.

Miss Pert—I suppose it is too late now to do anything about it.—Town Topics.

Patrick's Observation.

"How odd it is," said Pat as he trudged along on foot one sultry day, "that a man never meets a cart going the same way as he is!"—Household Words.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

SCARLET FEVER IN SCHOOL

BREAKS OUT IN THE HIGHLAND KINDERGARTEN.

There Are Several Children Stricken With the Malady.

The kindergarten in the Highland Congregational church has been badly broken up by scarlet fever. Already not less than half a dozen cases are reported, and it is feared that it may become epidemic. Lieutenant Kew's children were taken with the disease among the foremost, and the children of two other prominent citizens in the Highlands, have also been stricken. Investigation revealed the fact that several children were attending the kindergarten while suffering from a mild form of scarlet fever, and thus it was the disease spread. The kindergarten was closed for some days and fumigated, while the parents of the children were requested to have their little ones examined by their family physician lest they might be affected with the contagion. A doctor visits the kindergarten daily at present and examines the children carefully in order to guard against any further spread of the disease.

IN CALEDONIAL HALL.

Ladies' Thistle Club and Caledonians Have Merry Gathering.

The Ladies' Thistle club and the Caledonians held a Halloween festival last night in Caledonian hall. The concert program included piano selection, Prof. Buckley; songs by Mrs. W. H. Pepin and Thomas Wardell; an appropriate and well delivered, but brief address by Rev. Dr. Court, followed by a reading. Auld Lang Syne by the company closed this feature, after some bagpipe selections and a dance by James Frazer.

After the entertainment, supper was served, and dancing followed.

LOCAL NOTES.

First-class coat makers wanted at Bertrand's, Middle street.

A. B. Butterfield, 84 Forrest street, reported to the police last night that he had his Stearns bicycle stolen from in front of Carter's drug store.

At Post 185, G.A.R. hall, last night, the Sons and Daughters of Maine had a largely attended and substantial supper of the old Pine Tree state sort.

It is said the Massachusetts mills are soon to grant an increase of wages to a majority of their employes. This is probably in accordance with the promises made by republican campaign managers that in the event of McKinley's election wages would increase.

Brutally Assaulted His Wife.

Teresa Riley who resides on Union street was assaulted by her husband this morning, who struck her on the head with a saucer, inflicting a bad wound. She was taken in the ambulance to the city farm. Her husband was arrested by Officers John B. Crowley and Tilton.

Riley, it is alleged, attempted to cut his wife's throat a few years ago. Not long ago the woman gave birth to a child unexpectedly and the infant died on its way to the farm.

At the police station, as usual, no one appeared to know anything about the case notwithstanding the fact that Riley was locked up at the time.

New Circle Instituted.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, was instituted at Odd Fellows' hall, Merrimack street, last evening, with 25 charter members by Deputy W. H. Harrigan, assisted by Napoleon Roy of Court Samuel de Champlain as marshall.

After initiation of members the following officers were elected and installed: Chief Companion, Mary A. Goodin; S. C. C., Miss Monohan; F. S., Kate A. Tweed; treasurer, Miss Breen; right and left guides, Misses Curran and Delehanty; inside and outside guardians, Misses Hubin and Horgan.

Chelmsford House Burned.

The house of Mrs. Mary J. Kearns in Chelmsford, situated on the plains, so called on the road from the Centre to this city, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The loss is $800 on the building. Cause unknown.

The Amendment Vote.

Biennial elections will not go with the voters of this city but the new city charter goes by a large majority. A great proportion of the voters paid little attention to the amendments as may be may be seen by the surprisingly large number of blanks cast. When the early reports came in it appeared that the "By any old" elections all on account of the blanks but both parties voted against the unpopular move though the greater number of its friends were republicans.

Alleged Centralville Burglars.

A. N. Harmon and Charles True were arrested today by Inspectors Laflamme and Officer Cawley for alleged burglary of Milo Hale's store on Bridge street. This was the alleged burglary in which the thieves ran away from the officer after he had cornered them behind some barrels.

Savoy Theatre.

The double bill. There was the largest audience of the season present at this popular play-house last evening, and not a seat was to be had on the lower floor after 7.45. The two plays, "In Honor Bound" and "Arabian Nights," were received with great applause and enthusiasm, and these, with the reading of the election returns, occupied the time until nearly midnight, when a well satisfied audience departed. The double bill will be repeated this afternoon and evening, and large audiences are assured.

At City Hall.

The local returns were slow in coming in at City hall and the usual crowd of spectators was absent, having dropped in early and seeing or hearing no excitement dropped out again and made tracks for the more exciting scenes about town.

The reporters had different and decidly better accommodations this year, being assigned to the public hearing room with the use of Supt. Cheney's office and telephone, which office by the way, was originally the press room and was usurped by Cleve. Of course this arrangement caused a decided inconvenience to the crowd who were want to get their returns from the reporters, but the reporters were well pleased with it.

City Clerk Dadman received the returns and turned them over to Arthur Salmon, who carried them to the press headquarters.

As early as six o'clock the citizens began to arrive and among the first were the roman candle brothers, Cheney and Miles, with a stick of fireworks to explode in case of a lack of enthusiasm on the part of the republicans, but the candles were stolen and exploded prematurely. Ex-chairman Killeski of the republican city committee, Alderman Howe and a few others blew in about seven o'clock and waited patiently until the first returns came in.

After the returns were started to get to city hall, they came rapidly for a couple of hours and as it became known that Major Rowell would land after all, the members of Centralville lodge began to ease up and the Courier-Citizen staff began to think of the raise in salary which it has been crying follows the election of McKinley.

About midnight a crowd of enthusiastic republicans well filled with enthusiasm and other things hove in sight and saluted the hall.

Precinct three of Ward 8 came in last at 3.15 o'clock and at four Janitor Bill McGuirk closed the doors on the last of the watchers and Ned Cheney welcomed the dawn of day with a dozen or more roman candles which one disconsolate democrat said were pretty tough, sort of "balls" to spring upon a man on the morning after election.

DO NOT HEAT YOUR BLOOD

Until it is almost a fever by trying to bake your bread through hot weather, as you will find this poor economy; but have

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call at your home, and for less than it would cost you to bake it yourself, you can get his celebrated cream bread, or pastry. Three delivery teams run to all parts of the city. Retail stores at

52, to 60 Charles Street, and 465 Lawrence Street.

GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE OF TRUNKS and BAGS

Our entire stock of TRUNKS, BAGS, POCKET-BOOKS, STRAPS, etc., to be Slaughtered at prices unheard of.

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Choice Teas, Coffees and Spices

Try our "BIG TWELVE" brand of flour the best in the city.

ORDER YOUR

FALL SUIT OR OVERCOAT AT

BERTRAND'S 24 Middle Street.

DR. WALKER DENTIST

WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 43 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT.—Learn dress cutting and work on us. Position given to competent pupils. Room 52, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement at No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. H. Chalifoux, with J. L. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly house.

FOUND—That after 8260 cakes of "Sapolio" shine" guaranteed to clean silver, plate, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

WANTED—A treasurer for a good reliable stock company. Must deposit cash security. Apply at once to F. J. Meredith, Music hall, Lowell.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1834, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1300. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address M, sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 Feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres. Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 47 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new, for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 70 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

A. J. RYAN, Agt.

Room 29A Hildreth Building (Old Post Office)

9 TIMES OUT OF 10.

When you look at your watch and some one sees you and asks you the time you will look again. It wasn't important enough to fix it on their mind but when you have tried most everything for your cough and have at last found relief by using "Goodale's Cough Cure" you remember it. It has that peculiarity of hitting the cough almost every time. 25c.

GOODALE'S DRUG STORE, 217 Central Street.

GOOKIN BROS.

ARE YOU THINKING OF FURNISHING?

DO YOUR ROOMS NEED CARPETS?

ARE YOU GOING TO BE MARRIED?

DO YOU REQUIRE ANY ARTICLE OF FURNITURE?

If so come and look through our warerooms. You will be courteously waited on whether you want to buy or not, and you will learn something about our prices that will cause you to trade with us when you need anything in our line. See our line of Couches at $8.00 and upwards. Chamber suites and Parlor suites from the cheapest to the best. Dining room furniture that is sure to please you both in style and price. The Glenwood ranges and Parlor stoves always in stock. Carpets and floor coverings of all kinds. A complete assortment of Housefurnishings.

66 Prescott Street.

The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s

EXPORT BEER

Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery.

An Excellent Tonic

For Sale by All Local Dealers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance. Donovan bl'd.

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

Building materials are very low. You can get all mason's supplies of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, at low figures.

There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Saproshine. It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Dead Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in the woods in Pelham yesterday afternoon. No particulars can be obtained regarding the body.

Found in the River.

Workmen in the employ of the Locks and Canals company yesterday afternoon found the body of an infant in the river opposite Hunt's falls. It was turned over to Undertaker Brooks.

WHAT IT COST.

To Pay School Teachers and Janitors Last Month.

The total pay roll of the school department for the month of September was $21,844.11. Of this amount it took $10,267.77 to pay the grammar, high, special teachers and school officials; primary teachers, $6774; training school teachers, $1,025.00; kindergarten teachers and janitors, $1122.50; evening school teachers, $2003.75; evening school janitors, $244; drawing school teachers, $395; drawing janitors, $12.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The overseers of the poor will meet tonight to approve bills. Among the bills will be the charges of the lands and buildings committee for work at the city institutions and they will probably precipitate a lively discussion.

The committee on accounts of the school board met last evening and approved bills.

The sewer committee will meet tonight to hear persons in favor and against petitions for new sewers and extensions. Bills will also be approved.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Today's are the last performances of Sherman & Morrissey's fancy collection of specialties, in Old Dan Tucker and those who have not seen the show are missing many laughable things.

John W. Isham's "Octoroons" will be the entertainment at Music hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday when a program will be presented that will delight almost any audience for which that popular play house is noted. It consists of clever and original sketches, singing, dancing, comedy and concludes with selections from the best grand and comic operas of the day, correctly costumed and scenically staged. The opening farce is full of mirth, melody and clever dialogue and while being a hit upon the fads and follies of racing also serves to introduce some clever singing and dancing. The olio which follows is made of several specialty acts which cost no little sum in the ensemble. The company has been carefully selected and while the singing of all is good, there are several voices which attract more than usual attention. Mr. Isham has endeavored to provide a novelty and it would seem that he has succeeded more than usually well.

CRISP GOSSIP.

John Murray, clerk in B. D. O'Connell's office is quite an adept sketcher. The young man very cleverly copies any kind of a portrait or caricature and reproduces it equally as good as the original. He drew the plates for the Sun's stereopticon last night.

Andrew G. Swapp, chairman of the school board has served a longer term in that body than any man. He is now in his fourteenth year of service, and as the old saying is "He improves with age." The republicans of Ward seven evidently know a good thing.

Dr. Thomas A. McCarthy a Holy Cross college graduate was bitterly opposed by the A. P. A.'s of Nashua yesterday in his fight for school committee. Dr. McCarthy is already a member of the board and was a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. He is well known in this city.

An orchestra will be organized of young men in St. Patrick's Cadet band. It will consist of 14 or 18 pieces and will commence to hold regular rehearsals next week.

At the meeting of the Catholic Lyceum tomorrow evening the newly elected officers will be installed. The exercises will be conducted by Dr. John J. Savage.

One of the oldest members of the Mathew Temperance Institute is John J. Lonergan the well known young boot and shoe merchant.

Mr. Lonergan is prominent in every affair conducted by the organization and is an earnest and willing worker in the temperance cause.

The invitations to the wedding of Mayor Courtney and Miss Alice Angeline Brouillette are being sent out.

"Are you going over to hear "Joe" Donohoe make a speech tonight?" asked a friend of Overseer Mahoney a few days ago. "Is Donohoe going to make a speech? Well I guess I'll be there; I would go to Billerica to hear him speak" answered Overseer Mahoney. "Joe" is making a record as a Bryan orator.

The liquor dealers and their clerks had a holiday yesterday and scores of them could be seen with guns and dogs going a 'hunting early in the morning, having first voted of course. The liquor dealers have nearly as many holidays as do schoolchildren.

The Consumers' Hunting club held a day in the woods yesterday and President Rupperecht as usual bagged the best game.

The Lowell & Suburban construction department of which the boss is Mr. Michael O'Donnell, has just completed a remarkably quick and fine job of track laying in the extension of the Westford street line.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

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there will be less than 40 Democrats.

Hartford, Nov. 4.—Chairman Fyler of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "With every town but one heard from, McKinley has 64,500 majority in Connecticut, and about 53,500 majority for Cooke for governor. Four Republican congressmen are elected by majorities ranging from 5000 to 16,000. Legislature will be about 225 out of 252 representatives, and senate wholly Republican."

THE GRANITE STATE

Gives McKinley a Plurality Estimated at About 20,000.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—New Hampshire returns came in very slowly, on account of the large number of names on the ticket; but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley, and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. The Palmer and Buckner ballot was very light, and out of a total poll of 90,000, it is not expected to exceed 5000 votes. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but it seems likely that he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The Republicans also gained in representatives elected, and the legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches; and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one, are Republican. This city gives McKinley 1000 plurality, and elects Albert B. Woodworth (Rep.) mayor by a large plurality.

Chairman Spaulding of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "Returns from 70 towns indicate 28,000 to 30,000 for McKinley, and about 20,000 plurality for governor. Congressmen will have from 10,000 to 12,000 each. Legislature overwhelmingly Republican. Gallinger's re-election as senator absolutely assured."

PLURALITY OF 35,000.

Republicans and Democrats Lost Percentages In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are being completed very slowly. Those at hand indicate that the Republican majority will be about 60 per cent greater than that of 1892, but that it will fall away from the September plurality given the Republican candidate for governor. As near as can be calculated from the meagre returns at hand, the Republican plurality will be about 35,000. In the towns heard from, the Gold Democrats hold about 10 per cent of the total vote, and this loss to the Democratic party is about equal to that of the Republican party in the state.

A FALLING OFF.

But Maine Still Furnishes a Big Plurality For McKinley.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Maine's plurality for McKinley, according to estimates made on the basis of returns from cities and towns in all quarters of the state, will probably fall short of the immense plurality at the September election by from 1500 to 2000 votes. The returns indicate a Republican plurality in the state of 46,000, while the plurality in September was 48,377 for governor.

GORMAN FORCES ROUTED.

McKinley Leads Bryan by Not Less Than 30,000 Votes.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Maryland, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, have again tasted the bitterness of a defeat, so crushing as to be almost disheartening. The almost phenomenal majority of 20,000 for Lowndes a year ago has been duplicated and perhaps exceeded, as with full returns from two-thirds of the state and half of the city, the indications are that McKinley leads Bryan by 30,000; 20,000 of which has been contributed by Baltimore city, heretofore a Gibraltar of Democracy. Five Republican congressmen have surely been elected, the only doubtful district being the First, in which Joshua W. Miles (Dem.) may be elected. Mr. Miles, although running on a silver platform, has always favored the gold standard, and many think he may be relied upon to vote that way if returned to congress. There was no state ticket in the field, and a detailed vote in a case like this would appear superfluous. In the city, an almost unanimous Republican council has been chosen, including all the members of the "combine" which opposed Mayor Hooper, save the two Democrats who acted with them.

OVER 300,000 PLURALITY.

Republican Voters Turned Out In Force In the Empire State.

Albany, Nov. 4.—With less than one-fourth of the election districts above the Harlem river to hear from, and with the vote of New York city and Kings county complete, the plurality of McKinley over Bryan promises to exceed 303,000 in the state.

One county in the state, Schoharie, which is the home of Chairman Danforth of the Democratic state committee, has given Bryan a plurality of 500.

New York city has broken its political record of presidential elections. It has given a Republican plurality for president for the first time in its history. From 1832 to 1896, with one exception, Democratic presidential candidates have never polled less than 57 per cent of the total vote of the city. In 1848, the defection of Van Buren and the free soil party cut down the vote of the Democratic party to less than 36 per cent, but left a small plurality. Even in the Greeley campaign of 1872 the Democratic candidate nearly had 59 per cent.

HOBART'S STATE

Carried by the Republican Ticket by a Substantial Margin.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Revised estimates, based on the returns already in, give

GARRET A. HOBART.

McKinley New Jersey by 57,750. The Republicans elect six of the eight congressmen, with the indications that Pitney (Rep.) has carried the Fourth district by 1200.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is GOOD for all diseases that have their origin in impure blood. It is BETTER than other sarsaparillas, better made, of better ingredients and by better methods. Its record of cures proclaims it the BEST

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Reports received from all parts of New Jersey, with no county complete, indicate the state has gone Republican by 45,000 on president. Seven of the eight Republican candidates for congress appear to be elected. The state legislature will probably stand: Assembly Republicans, 41 or 45; Democrats, 15 or 16. Senate: Republicans, 18; Democrats, 3. Three, and perhaps four, of the 21 counties have gone Democratic. The Palmer-Buckner vote is higher than expected.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 4.—Chairman Murphy of the state committee claims the state by 35,000. Chairman Price of the Democratic state committee admits the state has gone for McKinley by 10,000.

SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Republican Electors but Governor Will Probably Be a Democrat.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—On account of the length of the ticket and much scratching, the count of the vote in Delaware is very slow. Enough is known, however, to indicate surely that McKinley has carried the state by about 1000 majority. In other respects, owing to the division of the Republican party into two factions, the Democrats have been successful. They have elected Tunnell governor, and Handy to congress, by about 5000 plurality each. They have also elected a majority of the legislature.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Returns from this city and all over the state are very slow. It is believed that the Republicans elected the presidential electors by at least 1000 majority, but Tunnell (Dem.) will probably be elected governor, and Handy (free silver congressman) is also probably elected. Reports from Kent and Sussex county say there was a great deal of trouble at the polls, the Addicks men attempting to secure the voters' assistants. In some districts no election was held. The Democrats claim they have carried Kent and Sussex counties by small majorities.

PLURALITY OF 250,000.

In the Estimate of the Republican Vote In the Keystone State.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Estimates from every county in the state give McKinley an apparent plurality of 266,950. The great size of the ticket made counting necessarily slow, and the estimates in many counties are undoubtedly below the actual Republican pluralities. There is every reason to believe that the official returns will show a plurality for McKinley of 280,000. The legislature is almostly entirely Republican, the Democratic representatives not exceeding 10 per cent in the lower house.

Florida For Bryan.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall carry Florida by a majority over McKinley, closely estimated at 13,000 to 14,500, as against a majority of 18,900 for Bloxham (Dem.), for governor, over Gunby (Rep.) in the state election, Oct. 6. The returns received, covering one-fourth of the state, show a loss of about 4 per cent in the Democratic vote, and a gain of 39 per cent in the Republican. The total vote shows a considerable increase over that thrown in October, all the gain being on the Republican side. The Democratic aggregate will be about 26,000, and the Republican about 12,000.

McKinley Gets Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Nov. 4.—A tremendous vote was polled The total will break all records in national elections in Tennessee. The city of Chattanooga has gone Republican. McKinley is leading the ticket in the county and district. The state at large is considered safe for McKinley.

Democrats Win by 20,000

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The returns received thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried Virginia by 20,000. They gained in the black counties, but lost in the cities and some white counties.

In Favor of Republicans.

Wheeling, Nov. 4.—The chairman of the Republican state committee says that McKinley's plurality will be 20,000. Returns come slowly. So far indicate Republican gains.

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KEEPS IT HANDY

Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

"Handy to have in the house," is an old expression, and relates to those things that emergency demands. Our good old grandmothers always kept a full stock of them, and that is where the old saying came from. Tried and true remedies soon become a part of the household dispensary, and this is right. In those olden days kidney troubles meant send for the doctor Today, Doan's Kidney Pills in the house are the safeguards against backaches, urinary derangement, pains in the kidneys and all the miseries they bring. They are the sure cure for any stage of kidney complaint and a very important feature with them is that they do not affect any healthy condition of any part of the system. They are simply kidney remedies and do their work. Ladies, far more than men, appreciate such remedies. The constant going up and down stairs and ordinary bending and stooping necessary in house work tells on the kidneys, and having something sure to dispel the complaint "handy" is the right thing to do. Mrs. Charles Slowey, 641 Market street, tells us her complaint began with backache, then soreness across the kidneys, followed by urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs was painful. The urine was scant and pained in passage. Indigestion added its weight, and she was thoroughly depressed. She says: "I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got them at Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and I want to say now I have no more pains or urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs doesn't bother me, and the urine is natural. Doan's Kidney Pills did it, and I now have a box in the house that we all take on the first intimation of any more backache."

Price 50 cents per box; for sale by all dealers, or mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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Representative—27th.

Michael J. Coughlin, d	132	145	241	519
Joseph F. Donohoe, d	150	176	260	584
Chas. E. Hosmer, r	283	266	290	851
Edward A. Stevens, r	270	243	266	779
Blanks	111	105	161	377

County Commissioner.

Levi R. Gould, r	290	273	318	881
George A. Perkins, d	151	165	232	548
Blanks	35	26	60	120

Congressman.

John H. Harrington, d	133	147	235	515
William S. Knox, r	316	296	325	939
Blanks	25	21	48	95

For President.

	Bryan and Sewall, D	Bryan and Sewall, N. Pr	Bryan and Watson	McKinley and Hobart	Palmer and Buckner
Ward 1	395	9	1	892	16
2	607	8	12	358	20
3	249	13	3	1217	21
4	748	25	5	528	12
5	703	35	3	470	11
6	423	10	4	507	12
7	506	2	6	1046	25
8	207	37	3	1360	24
9	333	66	2	987	27
Total	4091	206	39	7870	168

For Governor.

	Coffin	Prince	Williams, D.	Williams, Pop.	Williams, D. Ir.	Wolcott
Ward 1	6	28	330	25	21	813
2	3	26	704	53	16	321
3	8	27	223	20	39	1161
4	2	34	748	10	102	470
5	3	31	670	36	64	923
6	7	20	389	6	72	923
7	13	32	355	8	15	1001
8	17	25	190	10	29	1209
9	6	40	367	7	57	950
Total	65	263	3972	161	415	7359

Lieut.-Governor. Congressman

	Callahan	Crane	McConnell	Harrington	Knox
Ward 1	395	796	11	427	822
2	764	280	24	861	325
3	259	1127	21	345	1151
4	875	440	37	943	477
5	765	385	31	832	465
6	454	907	15	542	937
7	413	968	22	486	972
8	226	1104	16	279	1310
9	....	....	....	515	939
Total	4191	6007	177	5230	7358

Senator. Co. Comm'er

	Brigham	Fisher	Mevoy	Putnam	Gould	Perkins
Ward 1	....	....	407	803	782	445
2	....	....	534	313	295	851
3	....	....	328	1141	1082	251
4	....	....	930	479	445	940
5	390	835	....	....	406	852
6	....	....	479	943	947	481
7	....	....	442	939	896	539
8	....	....	250	1312	1260	320
9	903	525	....	....	581	549
Total	1293	1360	3640	5280	6094	5306

First Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Ward 1	480	458	447
2	218	728	879
3	666	472	377
4	328	769	427
5	313	657	455
6	532	553	500
7	552	567	453
8	735	436	481
9	624	509	416
Total	4458	5151	3935

Second Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks.
Ward 1	443	447	495
2	223	662	440
3	641	441	533
4	275	754	505
5	258	662	505
6	476	518	581
7	553	530	509
8	855	438	605
9	589	405	465
Total	4133	4917	4531

City Charter Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Wards 1	624	270	374
2	443	457	425
3	817	311	487
4	610	436	474
5	573	386	457
6	827	186	486
7	822	327	423
8	905	261	528
9	935	308	406
Total	6561	2550	4060

Fifth Congressional District.

In the fifth congressional district Knox wins by a big majority. The republican reserve vote came out strong. In every city and town Harrington ran ahead of his ticket. The vote by cities and towns:

	Harrington, d	Knox r
Andover	171	690
Dracut	119	272
Lynnfield	12	129
Lawrence	3487	4300
Methuen	212	790
North Andover	195	369
North Reading	23	119
Peabody	605	1115
Reading	155	781
Tewksbury	38	219
Wilmington	23	100
Woburn	1039	1396
Lowell	5230	7306
Total	11,306	17,746

REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST.

	25th District: Byam	Conroy	Hayes	Lang	Ramsay	Whitman	26th District: Dobbins	Gordon	Mansfield	Pattee	Powell	Stickney	27th District: Coughlin	Donohoe	Hosmer	Stevens
Ward 1	....	....	....	....	....	....	700	421	450	731	705	487	....	....	....	....
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	205	838	804	166	266	791	....	....	....	....
3	....	....	....	....	....	....	1035	849	411	1000	1008	374	....	....	....	....
4	859	650	399	337	485	873	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	830	910	362	323
6	....	....	....	....	....	....	708	491	620	767	856	601	....	....	....	....
7	463	451	951	688	824	604	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	315	219	1190	1191	1019	423	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	519	584	869	778
Total	1612	1580	2540	2216	2328	1835	2634	2100	2272	2767	2838	2210	1349	1494	1231	1101

The returns from the country towns in the 25th and 27th representative districts give the republican candidates the election.

MR. HARRINGTON'S VOTE.

He Runs Ahead of His Ticket All Over the District.

The vote for John H. Harrington, democratic candidate for congress for the 5th district, is very gratifying to his friends in this city.

In Lowell the democratic vote was as follows: Bryan, 4091; Williams, 3972; Harrington, 5230. By these figures it appears that Mr. Harrington leads Bryan in Lowell by 1139 votes and ran ahead of Mr. Williams, the candidate for governor 1258 votes. In every ward in this city he shows a gain over the head of the democratic ticket. In Lawrence he leads Mr. Williams by about 200 votes. In Woburn by 103 votes and so on throughout the entire district where his vote over that for the democratic heads of the ticket will not be far from 2000. The democrats of Lowell in particular will be pleased to know that their candidate led his ticket in every city and town in the 5th district.

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Large Assortment

50 New Plain Kersey Jackets, in Tan, Blue, Green, Brown and Black, made in the Empire, shield front and tight-fitting effects, from $4 to $8 less than regular prices.

25 Ladies' Double Capes, made of Beaver Cloth and embroidered with Jet and Mohair Braid, worth $5, this week only $2.95.

$6.50, Worth $10.

Jackets in great variety of the leading styles, in Persian, Boucle, Melton and Fancy Mixtures, garments that cannot be duplicated later, and made to sell for $10, this week only $6.50.

Fur Capes.

In Marten, Mink, Astrachan, Electric Seal, etc., at exceedingly low prices.

JACKETS (Like Cut), **$5.75 and $7.50.**

WHO'S ELECTED?

F. G. Mitchel & Co., of course. Elected the RARE BARGAIN givers of Lowell. Below are the returns for the honor conferred upon us. Our Electoral Notes emanate from the various departments in the acclamations from our delighted patron constituents heard by our Ambassadors behind our counters.

Returns:

HOSIERY.

Ladies' all wool Hose derby, and 2 and 1 ribbed, 12 1-2c a pair.
Ladies' seamless Hose, fast dye, ribbed, 19c a pair.
Ladies' extra fine, 38 wool Hose, for 25c a pair.
Men's half Hose, seamless, for 12 1-2c a pair.
Men's half Hose, all wool camel's hair, 19c a pair.
Misses' and Children's wool hose, 12 1-2c and 15c a pair.
Misses' and Children's fleece lined Hose, 10c.
Misses' fleece lined cotton Hose, 15c.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, a bargain for this week, 17c.
Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, for this week, 19c.
Ladies' extra fine Egyptian yarn Jersey Vests, 25c.
Ladies' combination Suits, 49c, 98c and $1.50.
Misses' and Children's Merino and Shetland Underwear, 9c up.
Men's Merino Shirts and drawers, 25c.
Men's fleece lined and Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, 49c.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, $1.25 kind, 98 cents.

Returns:

GLOVES.

Extra special lot Kid Gloves, all kinds, none worth less than $1, 59c pair.
Chamois Wash Gloves 69c pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, all sizes, black and colors, 19c.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, the 38c grade for 25c.
Misses' and Children's Fine Cashmere Gloves 19c.
Children's Mittens, 1 dozen left at 8c pair.
See our line of Taffeta Gloves with fleece lining.

CORSETS.

Big job strip Corsets, a 50c lot for 39c
The Leader Corset, worth 75c, sold by us at 69c, now 50c.
R. & G., P. N., W. B. Corsets, choice 75c.
Ferris Waists, the only waist, 75c.

YARNS.

Big deal in wool ball Yarn to be sold quick at 7c.
Scotch Yarns, the 25c kind, 19c.
Zephyr and Germantown Yarns at prices heretofore not known to the trade.

FREE---Have you tried our Dainty Luncheon yet? You should. FREE Lectures at 10 a. m., and 2 p. m., by the Chef.---FREE.

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Jobbers and Retailers of Millinery, Dry and Fancy Goods.

LIKE A FAIRY TALE.

Little Girl Wanders Away and Is Adopted by Bears.

Four-year-old Helma Ursler wandered away from her home near Snowshoe, Pa., Thursday noon. She was swallowed up in the wilderness of the Allegheny mountains.

A large searching party turned out to beat the woods. Late Saturday afternoon four lumbermen found the child about a mile and a half from her home in the dense woods, playing with two bear cubs. Strange to say, though her clothes were torn, she was uninjured except by brier scratches.

The men were taking Helma away when a 300 pound female bear dashed out from the underbrush. After a desperate struggle the beast was killed with axes. Fritz Yanser's right arm was terribly lacerated by the animal's teeth and claws, and amputation will probably be necessary.

Mrs. Ursler was almost insane when the child was returned. It is a trait of the bears in that vicinity that they never harm little children.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inauguration Ceremonies.

The Baltimore Sun says that when Governor Elect Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama is inaugurated, he will stand upon a foundation of silver. The heels of his shoes will be covered with plates of the white metal. W. H. Council, president of the Colored State Normal and Industrial school at Normal, Ala., has just had manufactured a pair of patent leather shoes which will be worn by Governor Johnston at his inaugural. The shoes are the handiwork of negro students. On the solid silver heel plates are carved horseshoes. Within the horseshoe of the left plate is this: "Made and Presented to His Excellency Joseph F. Johnston, Governor of the State of Alabama, by the State Normal and Industrial School, Normal, Ala."

They Met—as Usual.

The meeting of the National Cut and Wire Nail Manufacturers' association held in this city yesterday was merely the usual meeting for the month. There was nothing sensational about it. It was held for the usual purpose.

What is politely called a "national association" is really the Nail trust. It is so organized that half a dozen men from various cities, meeting in a private parlor in New York, fix the price of every nail driven in this country.

That is all. It is very simple. There is no longer anything extraordinary about it. It is now the usual thing.—New York World.

A New Type of Woman.

A new type of new woman has appeared in London. When a man offered her a seat in a car the other day, she refused it, saying: "Indeed, no; this so called politeness on the part of mankind is only the gilding of our chains. Men are polite because they think women inferior to them. If they looked upon us as their equals, these stupid gallantries would cease."

A Princess' Dowry.

It is announced in Vienna that the Russian emperor informed the Prince of Montenegro that he had fixed 1,000,000 rubles as a dowry for the Princess Helene, the same amount having been given to her elder sisters by the late emperor. The wedding present of the Russian imperial couple was a diamond ornament made in Paris at the cost of 2,000,000 francs.

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

3 cases cotton and wool shirts and drawers, Grey and white at the extraordinary low price of **37½c. Each.**

1 case white wool Shirts and Drawers, goods which have always sold at 75c. each. Our special price **59c. Each.**

1 case wool fleece Shirts and Drawers, elegantly finished, seconds of $1.00 quality, almost as good as firsts, at **50c. Each.**

HALF HOSE.

1 case Grey Merino Half Hose, seamless, double heels and toes, well worth 22c. by doz., our price **12½c. Pair.**

1 case Grey wool and Camel's Hair Half Hose, heavy weight and good value at **17c. Pair.**

1 case of medium weight imported black cotton Half Hose, Hemsdorf dye, and imported to sell at 25c. Our price **15c. a pair, or 6 pairs for 75c.**

1 case "Contoocook" Ribbed Wool Hose, extra heavy weight, always retailed at 50c. Price for this sale only **29c.**

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY AND KNIT UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Lined Jersey Vests and Pants. Seconds, good as firsts only **17c. each.**

1 case extra quality Egyptian Vests and Pants, fleece lined, best value ever offered in this city at **25c.**

3 cases "Harvard Mill" Jersey Vests and Pants, winter weight, the best value in this country at **50c. each.**

Misses—1 case Harvard Jersey Vests and pants, worth 50c., while they last at **29c. each.**

HOSIERY—LADIES.

2 cases Grey Wool Hose, seamless feet, good quality at **19c. pair.**

1 case Hermsdorf black fleeced Hose at **19c. pair.**

MISSES.

1 case all wool Hose, merino soles, size 6 to 8½ at **17c. pair.**

Infants, extra quality black Cashmere Hose sizes 4 to 5½ at **19c. pair.**

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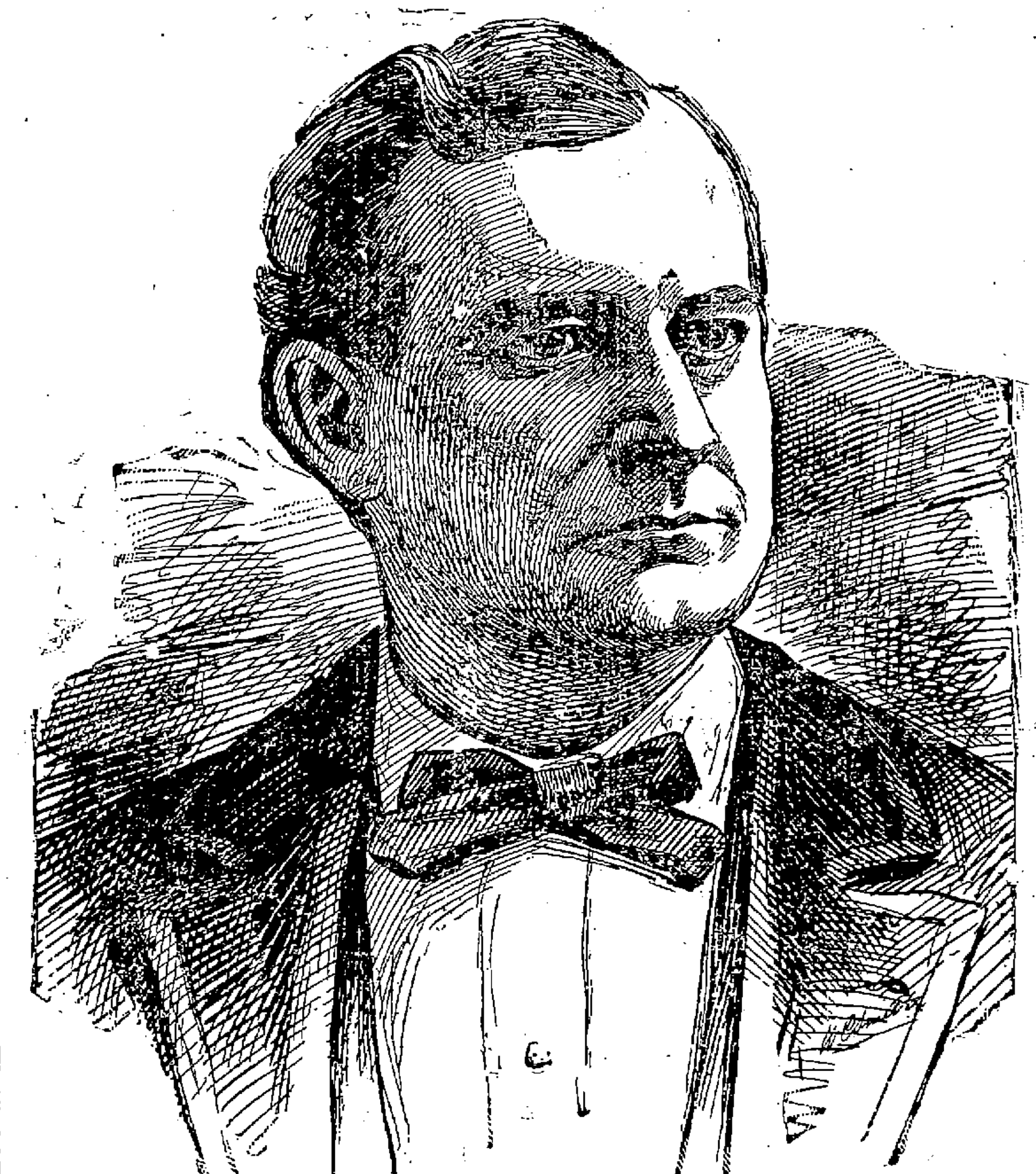
THE SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

JONES CLAIMS BRYAN WINS

Recent Returns From Doubtful States Change the Situation.

Bryan Carries His Own State and Indiana, and This Sentor Jones Claims Ensures His Election Republicans Aroused.



CHAIRMAN JONES SAYS IT WILL BE PRESIDENT BRYAN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—This afternoon Senator Jones wired Mr. Bryan at Nebraska as follows: "The West is safe. California ours with Oregon Washington. Wyoming and Minnesota. If we win either Minnesota, Michigan or Indiana we certainly will win the election, and the reports are all favorable from these states.

"I regard the contest as by no means ended, as important returns are yet to be received from doubtful states, and I will not under present conditions concede McKinley's election."

Chairman Jones, it is alleged, suspects fraud in the delay of the returns.

BRYAN STANDS FIRM

On His Rights Determined to Have Justice.

LINCOLN, NEB., NOV. 4—Mr. Bryan neither concedes defeat not claims election. He is watching for the first evidence of fraud to denounce the guilty parties.

STILL STRONCER CLAIMS.

LINCOLN, Nov. 4. Bryan's friends claim 217 for him, and hope for Indiana, Michigan, and Minnesota.

NEBRASKA

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 4.—From the returns received from the State, the indications are very strong that Bryan will carry the state by a small majority. The returns from the cities of Omaha and Lincoln, where the McKinley majorities were expected, are practically in, and it is evident that they will not be sufficient to overcome that of the rural districts for Bryan.

MORE HOPEFUL STILL.

Republicans Thoroughly Aroused All Over The Country.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 4.—At 2 p. m. today Jones said: The indications become stronger that we have carried Indiana. That being so Mr. Bryan is elected. A wave of consternation is now sweeping the republican party all over the country at the news that their claims to having elected McKinley were premature. They are thoroughly aroused.

LATEST RETURNS

Show It Conclusively That Bryan Has Run

CONSIDERABLY BETTER THAN FIRST REPORTED.

Only 220 Electorals Are Conceded to McKinley.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—It is reasonably certain that McKinley and Hobart are elected, but the majority is likely, from indications, to be much narrower than was thought as a result of earlier dispatches.

The following electorals are conceded to McKinley: Connecticut, 6; Illinois, 24; Iowa, 13; Maine, 6; Maryland, 8; Massachusetts, 15; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 9; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 10; New York, 36; Ohio, 23; Pennsylvania, 32; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 4; Wisconsin, 12; total 220.

The following are conceded to Bryan: Alabama, 12; Arkansas, 8; Colorado, 4; Florida, 4; Georgia, 13; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 8; Mississippi, 9; Missouri, 17; Montana, 3; Nevada, 3; South Carolina, 9; Tennessee, 12; Texas, 15; Utah, 3; Virginia, 12. Total, 135. Nebraska 8, probably for Bryan.

The situation may be deduced thusly: Certain for McKinley, 220; almost certain, 18; indications, 25; certain for Bryan, 135; probably for Bryan, 23; doubtful, 26.

Bryan is not yet defeated.

Election Notes.

The Knights of Columbus received the returns over a special wire, and they were announced to the members when received. Refreshments were served and whist and billiards were enjoyed.

At the Highland club the progress of the big political game was told to the members as it came in on the wire.

The Y.M.C.A. had quite a crowd at its rooms, and as fast as the results were told to the audience assembled, they were also thrown out upon the sheet on the opposite side of the street.

At Huntington hall several hundred people listened to the returns as they were given out by Chairman Poore of the republican city committee.

Post 185, G. A. R., in the Wyman exchange kept open house, played whist, smoked, enjoyed a collation, received some returns.

At the Yorick and Elks' club rooms there were also gatherings during part of the evenings.

X-Rays

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Shown by thousands of honest, voluntary testimonials—which naturally and actually produce

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According to the statements of druggists all over the country. In these three points Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiar to itself.

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THE VOTE CAST IN LOWELL

Showing the Efficacy of the Recent Gerrymander.

It Also Shows the Effect of the Big Political Cyclone that Has Brought Ruin to Democratic Prospects Hereabouts—The Returns Tell the Tale.

Here's why we weep:

McKinley's total vote in Lowell	7870
Bryan's total vote in Lowell	4336
McKinley's plurality	3591
Wolcott's total vote in Lowell	7369
Williams' total vote in Lowell	4540
Wolcott's plurality	2821
Knox's total vote in Lowell	7390
Harrington's total vote in Lowell	5230
Knox's Plurality	2106

Senators elected—George E. Putnam, republican, and William H. Brigham, republican.

Representatives elected in the 26th district—Richard Dobbins, Joseph E. Pattee and Edward T. Rowell, republicans. In the 25th district, W. H. I. Hayes, James Ramsay and William A. Lang, all republicans; and in the 27th district, though the country towns are not all in, the probabilities are Charles E. Hosmer and Edward A. Stevens, also republicans.

The crowd that gathered in front of The Sun building last evening resembled one of the dense crowds that listened to Mr. Bryan during the campaign. It was a vast sea of seething, howling, yelling, clapping, clattering humanity.

The returns cast upon the canvas over The Sun building were eagerly sought, and whenever good news for either side was put out, a terrific cheer went up and was repeated again and again with a "tiger" accompaniment.

The Courier's megaphone, by which the returns were announced, could not be heard in the cheers of the multitude.

The waiting crowds became impatient watching for the returns, but it should be remembered that the polls did not close in the western states until 6 or 7 o'clock with us. In California the polls closed at 5 o'clock, but that corresponds to 9 o'clock Lowell.

The first reports from the west were received very slowly as might be expected and almost before there was time to count the presidential vote in any state, the news was flashed over the wire that McKinley was elected. Before the polls were closed in some states, the republican leaders were out with claims that McKinley had carried most of the doubtful states.

The democrats remained "unterrified" and cheered the returns until the lateness of the hour and then the to them, unsatisfactory character of the reports led them to turn homeward downcast and discouraged. They felt that their champion had lost the fight, despite the gallant character of his campaign. He may be defeated but he will remain the people's idol and if he lives he will yet be president.

The first returns were almost entirely false and the democrats on reading them exclaimed, "Who owns the telegraph companies?" "They can send out false reports but they cannot elect a president."

The New York Sun true to its splenetic instincts was the first to claim McKinley's election, the first to pronounce Bryan defeated. The N. Y. World came next and after them in quick succession the N. Y. Herald, the Boston Journal and all the organs of the gold standard denomination.

The waiting anxious crowds remained in the square until 12 o'clock, thousands of them even later and yet they went home in utter uncertainty as to who was elected president.

But the cumulative returns in McKinley's favor soon convinced the most sceptical that McKinley swept the country with a mighty sweep and that Bryan sustained an overwhelming defeat.

However, every good citizen bows to the inevitable and none can utter a word of dissent at the fiat of the sovereign people.

We have been promised that if McKinley were elected the mills would start up again, all the evils of the gold standard will disappear, wages will go up with leaps and bounds and there will be no more idlenesss, no more shut downs or cut downs, prosperity will return to remain while McKinley guides the ship of state, and now we look to see a speedy realization of these bright prognostications of better days to come.

Below will be found the result of the contests in which there was any interest. The votes of the gold democrats, the various Williams tickets, the populist and prohibition parties are presented in order that their strength may be shown.

The leading returns for this city are subjoined.

WARD ONE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	113	119	123	365
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	2	7	0	9
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	0	1	1
McKinley and Hobart, r	347	347	198	892
Palmer and Buckner, d n	3	10	3	16
Blanks	26		0	28
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	3	0	6
F. O. Prince, d n	15	8	5	28
Geo F. Williams, d	79	127	130	336
Geo. F. Williams, pop	22	2	1	25
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	4	10	7	21
Roger Wolcott, r	312	317	184	813
Blanks	61	62	42	145
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	117	139	139	395
W. Murray Crane, r	307	311	178	708
James McConnell, d n	3	6	8	11
Blanks	61	62	43	172
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	122	146	139	407
George E. Putnam, r	209	318	188	809
Blanks	71	59	45	178
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	274	279	147	700
John G. Gordon, d	119	154	149	421
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	139	153	159	450
Joseph E. Pattee, r	274	208	162	734
Edward T. Rowell, r	277	285	146	708
Rollin W. Stickney, d	149	165	173	487
Blanks	235	236	185	656
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	302	301	179	782
George A. Perkins, d	131	159	155	445
Blanks	69	62	86	159
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	119	166	152	427
William S. Knox, r	323	312	187	822
Blanks	50	55	31	136

WARD TWO.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	156	244	207	697
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	3	2	3	8
Bryan and Watson, pop	7	2	3	12
McKinley and Hobart r	200	73	85	358
Palmer and Buckner, d n	4	6	10	20
Blanks	60			
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	2	0	1	3
F. O. Prince, d n	12	8	6	26
Geo. F. Williams, d	147	272	285	704
Geo. F. Williams, pop	12	0	41	53
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	13	0	3	16
Roger Wolcott, r	183	65	73	321
Blanks	49	78	74	201
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	172	283	309	764
W. Murray Crane, r	164	53	63	280
Jas. McConnell, d n	4	9	11	24
Blanks	71	81	90	242
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	191	309	334	834
George E. Putnam, r	172	62	79	313
Blanks	58	57	63	178
Representatives 26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	160	44	64	268
John G. Gordon, d	192	304	342	838
Mathew M. Mansfield	218	324	349	891
Joseph E. Pattee, r	160	43	63	260
Edward T. Rowell, r	141	47	78	266
Rollin W. Stickney, d	170	294	327	791
Blanks	192	228	203	623
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	174	54	67	295
George A. Perkins, d	196	319	336	851
Blanks	51	55	74	180
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	203	320	338	861
William S. Knox, r	181	65	77	324
Blanks	37	43	61	

WARD THREE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	152	61	36	249
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	8	3	2	13
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	3	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	209	522	486	1217
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	6	5	10	21
Blanks	0	15	18	33
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	2	3	8
F. O. Prince, d. n	8	6	13	27
Geo. F. Williams, d	154	63	7	223
Geo. F. Williams, pop	13	0	7	20
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	17	3	19	39
Roger Wolcott, r	188	498	475	1161
Blanks	52	50	31	133
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	181	66	42	289
W. Murray Crane, r	177	485	465	1127
Jas McConnell, d. n	8	10	3	21
Blanks	67	57	36	160
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	194	76	38	308
George E. Putnam, r	198	481	462	1141
Blanks	45	65	56	166
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	169	443	427	1039
John G. Gordon, d	191	96	63	349
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	227	126	58	411
Joseph E. Pattee, r	153	436	411	1000
Edward T. Rowell, r	154	429	425	1008
Rollin W. Stickney, d	193	110	71	374
Blanks	223	236	217	676
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	178	447	457	1082
George A. Perkins, d	203	95	53	351
Blanks	56	49	46	151
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	201	53	61	345
William S. Knox, r	195	494	462	1151
Blanks	41	45	33	119

WARD FOUR.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	176	231	341	748
Bryan and Sewall d Bryan	6	6	13	25
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	2	5
McKinley and Hobart, r	224	154	150	528
Palmer and Buckner, d n	5	2	5	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	0	0	2	2
F. O. Prince, d n	10	6	18	34
Geo. F. Williams, d	175	230	343	748
Geo. F. Williams, pop	6	3	7	16
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	21	36	46	103
Roger Wolcott, r	217	136	117	470
Blanks	37	55	57	149
Lieut.-Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	205	268	402	875
W. Murray Crane, r	200	134	106	440
J. McConnell, d n	8	8	21	37
Blanks	58	58	64	180
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	202	291	427	920
George E. Putnam, r	224	141	114	479
Blanks	45	36	54	135
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	192	270	308	659
John F. Conroy, d	191	283	415	889
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	199	118	91	309
Wm. A. Lang, r	191	110	87	357
James P. Ramsay, r	212	131	142	485
Chas. W. Whitman, d	109	283	301	673
Blanks	240	209	261	710
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	210	128	107	445
George A. Perkins, d	211	290	439	940
Blanks	5	50	49	149
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	219	289	435	943
Wm. S. Knox, r	214	141	122	477
Blanks	38	38	38	114

WARD FIVE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall d	202	277	224	709
Bryan and Sewall d Bryan	28	5	3	36
Bryan and Watson pop	1	0	2	3
McKinley and Hobart r	185	109	125	479
Palmer and Buckner d n	2	7	2	11
Governor.				
Allen Coffin pro	3	0	0	3
F. O. Prince d n	10	11	10	31
Geo. F. Williams d	191	260	219	670
Geo. F. Williams pop	22	6	6	36
Geo. F. Williams d Bryan	5	38	21	64
Roger Wolcott r	185	150	111	426
Blanks	57	58	[illegible]	181
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan d	218	208	240	765
W. Murray Crane r	160	136	99	385
Jas. McConnell d n	9	15	7	31
Blanks	71	81	84	236
Senator.				
William H. Brigham r	167	136	97	390
Alvan Fisher d	232	333	270	835
Blanks	68	63	64	209
Representatives—27th.				
Michael J. Coughlin d	229	319	272	820
Joseph F. Donohue d	274	350	286	910
Chas. E. Hosmer r	148	126	88	362
Edward A. Stevens r	123	113	86	322
Blanks	139	126	140	415
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould r	160	140	106	406
George A. Perkins d	228	327	277	832
Blanks	80	65	63	207
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington d	233	318	281	832
William S. Knox r	185	107	113	405
Blanks	59	47	42	128

WARD SIX.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	78	170	175	423
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	5	4	10
Bryan and Watson, pop	3	1	0	4
McKinley and Hobart, r	520	269	208	997
Palmer and Buckner, d n	6	4	2	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	1	1	7
F. O. Prince, d n	4	6	10	20
Geo. F. Williams, d	52	173	164	389
Geo F. Williams, pop	1	4	1	9
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	25	28	19	72
Roger Wolcott, r	503	242	183	928
Blanks	32	62	72	166
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	74	197	183	454
W. Murray Crane, r	498	236	173	907
Jas. McConnell, d n	6	6	3	15
Blanks	40	68	87	185
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	74	203	202	479
George E. Putnam, r	509	241	194	943
Blanks	43	65	65	163
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	441	201	156	798
John G. Gordon, d	87	203	202	492
Mathew M. Mansfield, d	98	211	211	620
Joseph E. Pattee, r	428	191	148	767
Edward T. Rowell, r	460	227	109	850
Rollin W. Stickney, d	123	220	221	564
Blanks	238	274	246	758
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	490	243	214	947
George A. Perkins, d	95	217	169	481
Blanks	40	40	68	157
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	94	230	218	542
William S. Knox, r	507	241	189	937
Blanks	24	38	44	106

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	121	159	86	266
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	0	1	2
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	3	6
McKinley and Hobart, r	330	427	289	1046
Palmer and Buckner, d n	12	9	4	25
Blanks	51	31	0	82
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	5	3	13
F. O. Prince, d n	11	15	0	32
Geo. F. Williams, d	110	163	83	356
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	0	5	8
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	11	0	4	15
Roger Wolcott, r	318	400	283	1001
Blanks	52	46	40	138
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	147	181	95	423
W. Murray Crane, r	300	387	281	968
Jas. McConnell, d n	8	9	5	22
Blanks	57	48	40	145
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	163	191	98	442
George E. Putnam, r	316	397	280	989
Blanks	48	53	40	141
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	153	211	104	468
John F. Conroy, d	159	186	104	461
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	321	356	274	951
William A. Lang, r	288	360	2 0	898
James P. Ramsay, r	280	329	215	824
Chas. W. Whitman, d	165	223	126	504
Blanks	195	226	197	618
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	301	372	223	896
George A. Perkins, d	170	208	160	538
Blanks	46	51	41	138
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	177	191	118	486
William S. Knox, r	306	397	269	972
Blanks	34	43	37	114

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	41	43	123	207
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	29	6	2	37
Bryan and Watson, pop	2	1	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	440	536	381	1360
Palmer and Buckner, d n	9	5	10	24
Blanks		40	36	
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	4	7	6	17
F. O. Prince, d n	10	8	7	25
Geo. F. Williams, d	28	32	130	190
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	4	3	10
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	8	9	12	29
Roger Wolcott, r	430	516	353	1299
Blanks	40	30	44	120
Lieut.-Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	45	47	134	226
W. Murray Crane, r	433	512	159	1104
Jas. McConnell, d n	7	7	2	16
Blanks		41	63	
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	53	54	143	250
George E. Putnam, r	430	524	358	1312
Blanks	42	38	54	
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	58	78	151	815
John F. Conroy, d	53	55	132	240
Wm. H. I. Hayes, r	400	476	323	1199
Wm. A. Lang, r	400	484	307	1191
James P. Ramsay, r	344	418	257	1019
Chas. W. Whitman, d	110	122	196	428
Blanks	187	215	290	701
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	422	500	332	1260
George A. Perkins, d	73	68	179	320
Blanks	31	42	44	117
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	61	64	154	279
Wm. S. Knox, r	428	519	363	1310
Blanks	36	33	38	107

WARD NINE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	93	53	187	333
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	5	53	8	66
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	0	1	2
McKinley and Hobart, r	225	308	354	967
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	12	11	4	27
Blanks	8	53	0	61
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	1	2	6
F. O. Prince, d. n	13	13	14	40
Geo. F. Williams, d	78	108	171	357
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	3	3	7
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	26	5	26	57
Roger Wolcott, r	314	301	335	950
Blanks	35	31	65	121
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	123	130	210	463
W. Murray Crane, r	298	287	218	903
Jas. McConnell, d. n	7	11	15	33
Blanks	41	35	61	137
Senator.				
Wm. H. Brigham, r	299	282	322	903
Alvan Fisher, d	141	155	220	525
Blanks	36	27	58	121

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27th Representative District.

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Billerica	197	128	327	307
Dracut	117	143	188	193
Wilmington	27	20	156	141
Carlisle	22	21	53	48
No. Reading	20	21	114	114
Tewksbury	46	69	197	168
Burlington	22	19	70	—
Totals	440	408	994	973

Totals, Coughlin, 1768; Donohue, 1952; Hosmer, 2175; Stevens, 2074.

Something in the Wind.

The election returns are not troubling the manager of the Merrimack Clothing Co., today. When the scribe called in to ask him how he liked the result of the election and inadvertently if he would any more of those $7.50 coats or if he was hatching any clothing surprises for the near future. Not a word of his intentions could be illicited but the scribe made up his mind by the active movement of goods in the store that something was in preparation though the manager would say not a word.

Two Runaway Boys.

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5 45	6 50	6 00	§7 07
6 30	7 45	6 30	7 63
6 40	8 03	6 40	§7 30
§7 01	7 68	8 00	9 11
*§7 13	8 02	*8 30	§9 10
*§7 27	8 12	*9 00	§9 38
§7 23	8 60	9 15	§10 25
*7 45	8 35	10 00	11 16
*7 50	9 49	10 43	11 58
9 00	10 30	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 40	12 00	§12 50
11 00	12 04	*1 00	§1 33
§11 42	12 25	2 00	3 04
§12 16	1 05	*3 00	§3 40
1 40	2 50	3 30	4 48
3 00	4 12	4 15	§5 32
*§3 56	4 35	*5 00	5 43
4 25	5 30	5 25	6 22
§5 22	6 16	5 59	7 05
5 36	6 50	6 15	7 37
*§6 21	7 00	*7 30	§8 15
*§7 51	8 30	*8 00	§9 38
		10 15	11 22
		11 30	12 23

Sunday Trains.

§7 18	8 02	2 15	§3 05
§7 27	8 12	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 37
§9 19	10 10	5 00	§5 50
§4 26	5 32	7 30	§8 10
§6 54	7 00	8 00	§8 38
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 60	8 03	7 30	8 32
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 27
9 25	10 39	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 05
12 03	1 37	2 15	3 19
12 43	1 58	3 40	4 56
2 30	3 44	4 21	5 45
3 20	4 22	6 01	6 20
4 05	5 23	6 01	7 00
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 46
6 16	7 25	9 40	10 41
7 00	8 05	11 15 ‖	12 16
8 30	10 44		

Sunday Trains.

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12 05	1 26	11 45	12 58
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Congressman Fitzgerald "Squoze" in again but will be lonely as heretofore.

Whew! ! ! It was a McKinley sweep, no doubt, now all the gold bugs in the country rejoice.

The masses are not sufficiently educated on the money question. It may take four years or more but they must come to free silver if this republic is destined to live and prosper.

Alas, alack Mr. Bryan you fought the good fight but your efforts were not appreciated. The people want longer talks than you can give from the rear platform of a car. They want to attend a financial school for a while, but they will get sufficient schooling in this question during the next four years.

Some cruel republican sends the following note to the Sun:

Mr. Editor—Please say whether you will have those bonfires that you said you were to have after election.

REPUBLICAN.

We lighted a fire this morning but it was not a bonfire and the attendance was neither large nor boisterous. One hod of coal was sufficient.

That is the only kind of fire we intend to light for some time.

"HAVE CONFIDENCE."

Confidence, gentlemen, confidence. Let everybody have confidence. The corporations are confident that McKinley will recoup them by bounties. Mark Hanna is confident that he will have things his own way. There will probably be a confidence bureau opened in the capitol from which the precious stuff will be dispensed. Tom Reed will, as usual, figure in the confidence game, and Mr. Hobart will put up the price of coal just to inspire confidence. Confidence, gentlemen. Don't mind whether you work or not. Have confidence; you're all right if you only have confidence.

FREE SILVER BEATEN.

Yesterday was a day of great anxiety for the candidates. The friends of free silver who have worked so hard during the campaign were greatly disappointed as the returns began to come in to find that the cause for which they were willing to sacrifice so much, received a temporary setback. The pivotal states were closely watched, and as the intelligence from Cook county indicated a majority for McKinley, every succeeding hour brought despatches that raised the hearts of the republicans, and depressed the democrats. The fondest hopes of electing Mr. Bryan were overcome by the power of money, the influence of the gold bugs, the threats and intimidation of large corporations such as railroads and other similar bodies throughout the country. When from forty thousand to one hundred thousand dollars was offered for the electoral vote of democratic or doubtful states, it is easy to see how Mr. Bryan was defeated. The want of funds for legitimate campaign expenses greatly hampered the democratic party throughout the country, and left the weight of the campaign to be borne mainly by Bryan himself. He did all that was possible for man to do, more perhaps than any other living man could do, but it was impossible with such slight assistance to overcome the enemy.

There is no doubt that free silver is bound to come, and we should not be surprised to see the republican party, including Mr. McKinley come out squarely for free silver before the close of the next presidential term.

One thing is certain that McKinley is a firm believer in free silver, and if a bill providing for free coinage be brought before him, we believe that he would not veto it. But of course that depends upon the wishes of Mr. Hanna, even more than the convictions of Mr. McKinley

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RELIGIOUS SECT IN OHIO WITH STRANGE CEREMONIES.

The Ancient Rite of Foot Laving Practiced There—What a Correspondent Witnessed on a Recent Visit to the Out of the Way Place.

The hamlet of Toad Heaven is away from the beaten path of commerce, in the extreme northwestern part of Jackson county in Ohio. Strangers seldom visit the place, and the members of Toad Heaven community are ignorant of the outer world.

The name of Toad Heaven applies to the hamlet, the community and to the unsightly log church where this singular religious sect worships. The dwellers of this strange community are ignorant and superstitious. They came originally from Virginia, where they were prominent among the uneducated natives known as poor white trash.

One who visited Toad Heaven recently says the religious ceremonies in vogue in the community are grotesque and highly sensational. Their "Amens" and "Praise the Lords" are loud enough to shake the hills, and every month a foot washing ceremony, called a "sacrament," is performed as one of the church rites, corresponding to the communion in civilized churches.

Upon a recent Sunday every member of the community present in the unsightly log church sat with bare feet, awaiting a signal from a leader to commence a ceremony much needed by many feet, which were being rubbed together under the seats. The men and women were armed with a towel, worn like a sash, and tin basin, which does secular duty at home.

If a man's memory happened to be good, he would be able to remember a rather disjointed sermon delivered by an old man, who said in part: "I hain't prepared no discourse. The Lord says to his sarvants, 'Git up and deliver yo'self, an at the same hour I'll fill yo' mouth with ut'rance.' I hain't got no larnin and never went to school, but I know I am a chosen servant to plot the way to sinners. Some men who have larnin ain't Christians, an, if they don't reform, everlastin hell will be their sheer of the Lord's gifts. This foot washin of our'n ain't for the purpose of cleanin dirt from our feet, but it's a sacrymint handed down to his faithful followyers, who washed his disipules' feet and dried them with a towel at the Last Supper."

The orator, encouraged by a chorus of amens, further declared that while he was not "one o' yer polished, high toned, stuck up preachers with fine clothes an standin collars an sinful souls," he was "able to preach truths as the Lord puts 'em in my mouth." Then he preached on the text, "Where art thou?" He never found out, nor did his listeners know where he was, but his agony was superb. In his rambling talk he became frenzied.

The ceremonies of the feet washing followed the sermon. In one corner of the church was a barrel of rainwater, filled from the roof by a tin pipe let in through a window. To it each woman went and filled her basin. Then each man commenced singing a hymn, and each woman, choosing not her husband, but any brother she wished, laved his feet, one at a time, in the basin. Then she unwound the towel from her waist and wiped each foot dry. Then came the opportunity of the women to have their feet bathed by their brethren. The men went at it brusquely.

Each woman sat and sang.

After it all the members of the Toad Heaven sect sang a hymn and sought their miserable log cabin homes in the hills round about.—Chicago Tribune.

A POLITICIAN TESTED.

A Congressman Who Could Not Play Checkers to Suit Constituents.

"One of the ablest men in congress will lose a number of votes in his district in Georgia," said a department clerk to a Star reporter.

"A friend of mine wrote me some time ago that the judge was safe so far as his re-election was concerned, but my friend visited one of the back counties a few days ago and found that a decided change in sentiment had come about. He asked one of the political leaders:

"'What is the matter with the judge?'

"'He ain't no good.'

"'Why, what did he ever vote for that you are not in favor of?'

"'I dunno.'

"'Did he vote against anything you wanted passed?'

"'Not as I knows on.'

"'The newspapers all speak well of him.'

"'Newspapers is allus lyin.'

"'What is the matter?'

"'Waal,' he comed out here, an Tom Wilkins beat 'im playin checkers. Tom kain't play a little bit, an what kin o' a figger kin a man out in congress who kain't play checkers better'n thet?'"—Washington Star.

The Hose Was Like a Thing of Life.

A test was made the other afternoon at the parliament buildings by Chief Engineer Wickens of the fire apparatus with which the building is supplied. A hose was run from the basement out to the lawn at the north side, and with 160 pounds of pressure a stream was thrown from a 1½ inch nozzle to the roof. An amusing incident occurred when the test was being made. The 160 pounds of pressure proved too much for the two men who were directing the hose, and the nozzle took on that swaying motion which is due to the great pressure of water forward. The men hung on manfully, while the group of spectators jumped behind them, revolving as they revolved with the nozzle. Soon, however, they began whirling so quickly that it was impossible to keep behind them, and a wild rush for shelter took place among the spectators. One of the men holding the hose rolled over on his back, and the other dropped the hose and jumped out of harm's way, while the hose, victorious, tossed its brass nozzle hither and thither, spouting a heavy stream of water in every direction.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Does This Mean an Ocean Transit Trust?

Mr. Ismay, chairman of the White Star line of steamers, gave a dinner in London recently at the Reform club to the chairmen and managers of the Atlantic steamship lines. Messrs. Griscom, Edmund Taylor and Wilding represented the American line. The meeting discussed various trade questions.—New York World.

Jamaica Shuts Out Our Cattle.

The Jamaican authorities, on the strength of a report from an expert on cattle diseases, has issued an order prohibiting the importation until further notice of cattle and animals from the United States, Central and South America, the Leeward Islands, South Africa and Australia.

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THE NEW YORK ELECTIONS

HOW THE DAY IS CELEBRATED IN THE METROPOLIS.

Picturesque Holiday Sights of a Great City. To a Large Class of People This Is the One Great Day of the Year—The Floating Vote at the Polls.

Mr. Ernest Ingersoll has written for The Century a paper on "Election Day In New York." Mr. Ingersoll, after speaking of those who take advantage of the holiday to flock out of town, says:

Another class rejoice in this holiday as an opportunity to sit at home enjoying domestic comfort, reading in slippered ease the postponed book or fondling the pet hobby. The "people" call them "silk stockings," and have no fear of their beautifully modulated expressions of censure, because they rarely back it up by a vote.

Down at the polls they cannot understand this frame of mind. A certain number of citizens, to be sure, come, deposit their votes as quickly as possible and go away with an attitude of having performed a disagreeable duty. But to the many who are more or less visible there all day this is the most important occasion of the year, and there is hardly anything they would not rather do than miss it. To be sure, it may be worth a few dollars to them, directly or indirectly, but plainly they look further than this and have a hazy sense of the dignity of the act, comparable to the fetich worshiper's notion of religion. They are not ignorant, foreign, dollar a day laborers, stupid and besotted with liquor, but men earning wages enough to enable them to pay their footing in the barroom club, and having sufficient brains to make them serviceable to their "captain." Alert with the keenness of the street, knowing everybody, and feeling above none, they are wholly devoted to "the cause" as long as they got fair treatment.

It is these men who make the voting places picturesque. In rough garb and with lordly swagger they sandwich themselves between neat and dignified lawyers, merchants and clergymen, proudly sensible of their equality at the polls. Sometimes the motley line reaches out of doors and down the street. As soon as one has voted he joins the loiterers outside and pompously lights a cigar, scornful of the black pipe more familiar to his teeth.

In the afternoon the brisk captain, who has been dodging all day from poll to poll, obtains an approximate list of those of his side who have not yet voted, and dispatches workers to "bring them out." They search their haunts, and presently return with recruits. Some of these delinquents have simply been tardy, others are sick or lame or blind, and are gently conducted to the polls, perhaps in a carriage, placed in the line, and carefully assisted to the ballot box. The attention he gets on election day is a genuine comfort to many a poor devil kicked about all the rest of the year. Now and then a henchman seizes a captain and whispers portentously in his ear. A moment later he hurries off, looking very important, and soon reappears with a companion, who is sent on alone, while he himself stays back at the corner. This means that some voter has been ascertained to be out of town or sick abed, and that a willing and thrifty stranger has come to vote (illegally) in his name. This is only one of many tricks election officers and watchers must guard against toward the end of the day, and sometimes at a cost to the latter of no small courage, for whisky emboldens the roughest workers to try to "stand on his head" any one who interferes with them.

The day wears on—Sunday without the churches, a gray day in every sense of the word. In the lower wards, where folks are close enough together to feel one another's warmth and where it really matters whether Mike O'Farron or Barney Cadigan is to be alderman or coroner, each crossroads has an excited crowd, but up town the side streets are deserted, and even Broadway and Fifth avenue are dead.

The first to break the silence are the boys crying the afternoon papers, but there is nothing in them except clever guesswork, unless the tension factions at some polling place or the wild foolishness of a tipsy worker has brought on a fight or two. Election day rows are now remarkably rare in New York.

Loiterers increase about the polling places, and voters crowd forward, fearful lest they be too late. The weary inspectors and clerks must now work harder than ever, and the watchers watch their very best. This is the time when the schemer gathers results—gets in his fine work, as he would tell you. Men present themselves with specious claims, politicians bulldoze, and it is only the most determined guardian of the purity of the ballot who in this last hour can withstand the pressure. It happened in several districts in 1894, when the voter was called upon to fold and select from 23 ballots, that there was not time enough in the day for all those entitled to the franchise to reach the ballot box, and voting twice in one place was out of the question.

America's Need of Cavalry.

Discussing the possibilities of a war with England and the strength of the United States militia or national guard, some of our newspapers lately boasted that an army of 100,000 men could be thrown into Canada within a few weeks. How many of those men would be mounted on horseback? It is a very pertinent inquiry, for it requires from three to six months' training to make a cavalryman, and some of the states which furnish large contingents to the national guard have not a single troop of horse. If there is any lesson that the failure of the Confederacy can teach us, it is this: That an invasion of Canada—and I do not mean that such a thing is in the least probable or desirable—made without sufficient cavalry would be as barren of permanent results as it would be if made with an army of crossbowmen.—"Why the Confederacy Failed," by Duncan Rose, in November Century.

Paid For In Rabbits.

Asbury Pollitt, a farmer living in the eastern part of Mason county, Ky., started for Maysville on the family nag. On the way he met Bud Siley, a hunter. In the course of conversation Pollitt told Siley he wanted to sell his horse. Thereupon Siley offered Pollitt one dozen and a half rabbits which he had killed that morning. Pollitt accepted the offer. This is the lowest price on record for a Kentucky horse.

Watches For Police Bonds.

Watches are accepted as security for fines by the police courts of Knoxville, and 40 unredeemed ones, held for two years, are to be sold at auction by the city.

Wise Weyler.

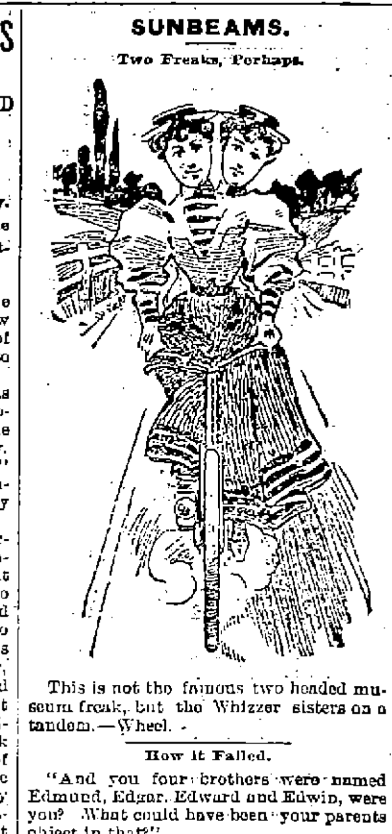
Weyler was wise anyway. No one will deny that the best thing to do is to conquer Cuba before tackling the United States.—Chicago Post.

Made In Germany.

"Yes," continued the manager of the wild west show modestly, "that is quite a warwhoop. Our solo Indians were all educated in Germany, you know!"—Detroit Tribune.

SUNBEAMS.

Two Freaks, Perhaps.



This is not the famous two headed museum freak, but the Whizzer sisters on a tandem.—Wheel.

How It Failed.

"And you four brothers were named Edmund, Edgar, Edward and Edwin, were you? What could have been your parents object in that?"

"They wanted to keep us from ever being nicknamed."

"Did it have that effect?"

"Not exactly. We've always been called Chuck, Snorkey, Flipps and Pilgarlic."—Chicago Tribune.

From a Dime Novel.

The heavy hand of Terrible Tom came down with a resounding thwack on the stooping shoulders of the aged miser.

"Ah, ha!" exclaimed the desperado in exultant tones. "At last I have ye in me power!"

A silent struggle for life and death commenced.

Tottering on the brink of the awful chasm, the two forms swayed hither and thither. At times they could be seen swaying here and there.

The aged miser was old, but not young. Nevertheless he was nervy.

Aha!

Over the brink they go, crashing on to rock and crag, until their crushed and crumbled corpses land with two distinct swll and thickening duds at the bottom of the precipitate precipice, 43,000 feet below.

There they continued the struggle.—New York Sunday World.

No Exceptions to This Rule.

It was a fidgety, funny, middle aged woman who stepped to the window of the Central railroad ticket office at 10:30 the other morning and inquired the time the next train left for Rome. "The next train leaves at 10:52," courteously responded Assistant Ticket Agent Hennessy. "Has it gone yet?" queried the woman. "No," quietly answered Mr. Hennessy. "The next train has never gone."—Utica Observer.

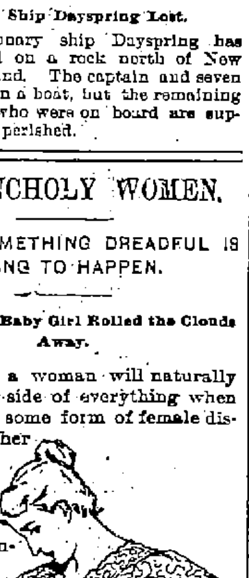
Mission Ship Dayspring Lost.

The missionary ship Dayspring has been wrecked on a rock north of New Caledonia island. The captain and seven men escaped in a boat, but the remaining nine persons who were on board are supposed to have perished.

MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

AFRAID SOMETHING DREADFUL IS GOING TO HAPPEN.

How a Little Baby Girl Rolled the Clouds Away.



Of course a woman will naturally see the dark side of everything when tortured by some form of female disease, which her doctor cannot or does not relieve. No wonder she is melancholy when head and back ache, pains run through the whole body and loins, nerves are weak, stomach out of order, digestion poor, sense of fullness and bearing-down, poor sleep and appetite, always weak and tired, irregular menstruation, whites, etc.

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For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.
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For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.
For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and the Provinces, 5.10 p. m., except Saturday. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
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For Woburn, 6.30, 7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., 4.25, 5.58 p. m.
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For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m.; 4.15 p. m.
For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.
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For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.
For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.17, 9.40, 10.09 a. m.; 12.09, 1.00, 1.40, 3.43, 5.40, 6.17, 8.13, 6.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 8.03 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.40 p. m.
For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.40 a. m.; 12.09, 1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, †8.13 p. m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.
For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.40 a. m.; 1.40, †8.40 p. m.
For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.40 a. m.; 12.09, †8.13 p. m.
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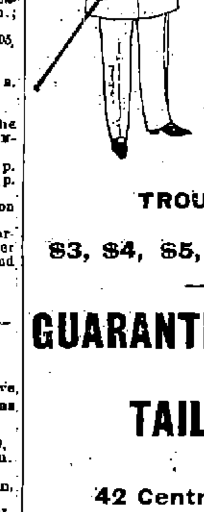

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Daily Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell; the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
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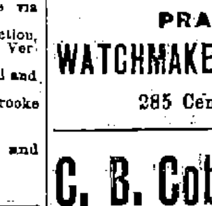

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AS YET UNDECIDED

Nebraska is Still Involved in Doubt.

CLOSE CONTESTS IN THE FAR WEST.

Electoral Vote and Complexion of Congress.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Chairman Post of the Republican state committee claims the state for McKinley by a majority of from 7000 to 8000. "We have," he says, "received very scattering returns, and it is impossible to give anything like accurate figures." McKinley's majority in Lincoln is 1018. The city has generally been Republican by a considerably larger vote.

While Chairman Post is still publicly claiming the state for McKinley, attaches of his headquarters say that he really regards the state as doubtful, and possibly as lost. Returns so far received are so meagre as to render it impossible to give a very intelligent opinion, but so far as they go, they indicate sufficient to give the state to Bryan by about 6000, if maintained, the majority will certainly be very small either way. Chairman Manahan of the Lancaster county Democratic committee predicts 20,000 Democratic majority, and says he is supported in this claim by the fusion state chairman. He says the Lincoln majority is a loss to the Republicans of 1500, and that the full returns from the county precincts outside the city will reduce McKinley's majority to about 300. Manahan expresses the belief that the fusionists will elect six congressmen from Nebraska. He asserts that Bradley is certainly elected from this, the First, district.

Omaha, Nov. 4.—Returns from Nebraska precincts are still very meagre, but indicate that McKinley has carried Nebraska. Eighty-seven precincts in Nebraska, outside of Omaha, give McKinley 10,476, Bryan 9080.

MINNESOTA'S LANDSLIDE.

Lind May Come Out Safely From the Republican Avalanche.

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—Every county so far reporting gives a big McKinley majority. The only man on the Democratic state ticket who has a chance of election is Lind, for whom the Scandinavians have voted very extensively. Lind, however, seems to be buried under the McKinley avalanche. It is a clean Republican sweep on congressmen, except the Seventh district.

COLORADO FOR BRYAN.

Plurality of the Silver Candidates May Reach 100,000.

Denver, Nov. 4.—The vote is reported to be about the same as two years ago (130,000). There is no question of the election of the Bryan and Sewall electors by over 100,000 plurality. State chairman of the Silver Republicans claims the election of Adams, Democratic-Silver-Republican candidate for governor, by 140,000 plurality.

IN DOUBTFUL COLUMN.

Both Sides Claim a Majority of Votes in Oregon.

Portland, Or., Nov. 4.—Chairman Hirsch of the Republican committee says McKinley may carry this city by 5000 and the state by 5000 to 10,000. The fusionists concede McKinley 2500 in this city, but claim the Bryan majority in the state will wipe this out and leave Bryan's majority 5000.

VOTE IS CLOSE.

Result In Washington Uncertain, With Fusionists Claiming Everything.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—The vote is very heavy. Indications point to Republican gains, but the vote will be close. Republicans expect to elect at least one of the two congressmen. The fusionists continue to claim everything by large majorities, while the Republican state headquarters are confident of a small plurality.

SLOW COUNTING.

Result in Utah Uncertain, but It Favors Bryan.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4.—It will be late tonight before the count can be completed. Indications are now that Bryan has carried the state by at least 10,000 majority. The legislature, which will elect a United States senator, is still claimed by both parties.

M'KINLEY OR BRYAN?

Chances Are About Even For Either Carrying the Lone Star State.

Dallas, Nov. 4.—Reports from 60 chairmen indicate McKinley has carried Texas.

Slow Counting In Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—It is doubtful if the complete returns for St. Louis will be received before tonight. Only 58 out of 426 precincts have been returned, and five out of 28 wards in the city have not been heard from at all. The returns from the state outside the city of St. Louis are even more meagre and incomplete.

Republicans Concede Montana.

Helena, Mon., Nov. 4.—Chairman Herschfeld of the Republican state executive committee conceded the state to the fusion ticket. The Republicans may elect a few county officers in wool growing districts. The legislature will be Democratic without doubt.

Clean Sweep For Democrats.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Returns are coming in slowly, but indications are that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, electing the entire congressional delegation, and that Bryan has carried the state by not less than 30,000 majority.

Confusion In Kansas.

Topeka, Nov. 4.—As there are 10 tickets in Kansas, in some places the count under the Australian ballot system is very slow. Estimates by Republican state chairman indicate that the state will go safely for McKinley. He will not give out figures.

"Fraud and Violence."

Atlanta, Nov. 4.—A. E. Buck, chairman of the Republican state central committee of Georgia, says: "Fraud and violence prevail in portions of the state. The returns are slowly coming in. The Democratic majority in Georgia is largely reduced. It may not exceed 10,000.

The Golden State.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The Republican state committee say their reports show gains for Republican ticket, and claim this state by a decided majority. The vote from Democratic districts in this city, so far as counted, show Republican gains.

Wisconsin For McKinley.

Milwaukee, Nov. 4.—National Committeeman E. C. Wall and State Central Committeeman Peck of the Democratic party concede that Wisconsin will go Republican between 50,000 and 75,000.

From Idaho.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Senator Fred F. Dubois wires from Blackfoot, Ida., as follows: "Ihado will give at least five to one for Bryan.

INTERESTING FIGURES

Showing Electoral Vote and Probable Complexion of Next Congress.

The Electoral Vote.

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Dbt'ft.
Alabama	..	11	..
Arkansas	..	8	..
California	..	9	..
Colorado	..	4	..
Connecticut	6	..	..
Delaware	3	..	..
Florida	4	..	..
Georgia	..	13	..
Idaho	..	3	..
Illinois	24	..	..
Indiana	15	..	..
Iowa	13	..	..
Kansas	10	..	..
Kentucky	13	..	..
Louisiana	..	8	..
Maine	6	..	..
Maryland	8	..	..
Massachusetts	15	..	..
Michigan	14	..	..
Minnesota	9	..	..
Mississippi	..	9	..
Missouri	..	17	..
Montana	..	3	..
Nebraska	8	..	..
Nevada	..	3	..
New Hampshire	4	..	..
New Jersey	10	..	..
New York	36	..	..
North Carolina	..	11	..
North Dakota	..	..	3
Ohio	23	..	..
Oregon	4	..	..
Pennsylvania	32	..	..
Rhode Island	4	..	..
South Carolina	..	9	..
South Dakota	4	..	..
Tennessee	..	12	..
Texas	..	15	..
Utah	..	..	3
Vermont	4	..	..
Virginia	..	12	..
Washington	4	..	..
West Virginia	..	..	6
Wisconsin	12	..	..
Wyoming	..	..	3
	281	151	15
Total electoral votes			447
Necessary to elect			224

The Next Congress.

(Estimated from latest returns.)

	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama	..	9
Arkansas	..	6
California	5	2
Colorado	..	2
Connecticut	4	..
Delaware	1	..
Florida	..	2
Georgia	..	11
Idaho	..	1
Illinois	18	4
Indiana	9	4
Iowa	9	2
Kansas	5	2
Kentucky	7	4
Louisiana	..	6
Maine	4	..
Maryland	5	..
Massachusetts	12	1
Michigan	9	3
Minnesota	6	1
Mississippi	..	6
Missouri	8	7
Montana	..	1
Nebraska	2	4
Nevada	..	1
New Hampshire	2	..
New Jersey	8	..
New York	29	5
North Carolina	..	9
North Dakota	1	..
Ohio	19	2
Oregon	2	..
Pennsylvania	27	3
Rhode Island	2	..
South Carolina	..	7
South Dakota	2	..
Tennessee	4	8
Texas	..	13
Utah	..	1
Vermont	2	..
Virginia	..	10
Washington	2	..
West Virginia	..	4
Wisconsin	10	..
Wyoming	..	1
Arizona	..	1
New Mexico	..	1
Oklahoma	..	1
Totals	213	143

At McKinley's Home.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—At 9 o'clock Major McKinley received a telegram of congratulation from Mr. Hobart, his associate on the national ticket, as follows: "Congratulations with all my heart on the glorious achievement under your magnificent leadership. The manhood of the republic has asserted itself, and the nation's honor and integrity will never again be assailed by the same forces. Mrs. Hobart joins me in congratulations."

Major McKinley, at 10:45 p. m., received the following telephone message from Chairman Hanna from Cleveland: "The feeling here beggars description. The boys at the Union club send love and hearty congratulations. You are elected to the highest office of the land by a people who have always loved and trusted you."

At 1:30 o'clock the din about the McKinley cottage was as deafening as ever. The interior of the house looked as though an army had marched through it, being littered with debris. The crowd had gone, but a few of Major McKinley's close associates remained with him in the dining room, where coffee was served over the late returns.

At 12:30 McKinley received a tremendous ovation from his Canton townspeople. He took a position on top of the porch of his residence, and waved his salutations to the enthusiastic concourse. The midnight was light as day by hundreds of flambeau and blazing fires of red and green. Major McKinley made no address. For an hour the remarkable spectacle proceeded.

Bryan Has Hope.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bryan's immediate friends said that at midnight he did not consider the case as definitely lost, but that, on the contrary, he considered that there ws still ground for hope of his success. He had expected that the first returns, being from the large cities, would be against him. He left orders that the principal bulletins be sent to his room and he read them there, manifesting special interest in the reports from Nebraska. Mrs. Bryan did not lose her customary cheerfulness in the face of the adverse reports, and she appeared well prepared for the worst, though evidently not devoid of hope for better fortune than the reports appeared to show. She retired at 10 o'clock, leaving the entertainment of her guests to the friends who had assembled.

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ALTGELD DOWNED

Beneath Avalanche of Votes in Illinois.

RESULT OF BATTLE IN THE MIDDLE WEST

Ends Generally in Favor of McKinley.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley and Tanner have carried Illinois by over 100,000. Tanner is running ahead of his ticket, but somewhat behind McKinley. Chairman Hitch of the Republican state central committee said: "It has all gone for McKinley and Tanner by 125,000, Tanner is running way ahead of his ticket."

Captain John R. Tanner arrived at the Republican headquarters at the Great Northern hotel and was immediately congratulated as the next governor of Illinois. He said: "McKinley and I have carried the state by considerable over 100,000 majority."

Chairman Hinrichson of the Democratic state committee conceded Cook county to McKinley [illegible] and admitted that the indications point to the rest of the state going the same way.

THE BUCKEYE STATE.

Indications That McKinley's Lead May Reach 65,000. Mark.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Twenty-one city precincts give McKinley 3743; Bryan, 3403, a Republican gain of 40 in each precinct.

McKinley's precinct at Canton has gone Republican by 61. It was 762 Democratic in 1892.

MAJOR M'KINLEY RECEIVING MESSAGES IN HIS LIBRARY.

Twelve precincts in Hamilton county give McKinley 2307; Bryan, 1519; Levering, 3.

Thirteen precincts in Toledo give McKinley 2327; Bryan, 1649.

The Cincinnati Post claims McKinley carries Ohio by 65,000.

GIVEN TO M'KINLEY

Democrats Admit That They Are Beaten In Michigan.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—It is generally conceded that Michigan has gone Republican by from 25,000 to 50,000 plurality. The latter is the figure given out by Chairman Ferry of the Republican state committee. Secretary Alward of the Republican committee claims the election of all 12 congressmen, but the Democrats still hope to save some of their candidates. The Detroit Tribune (free silver), on the basis of scattering returns thus far received, estimates McKinley's plurality in the state, outside of this county, at 29,000. The upper peninsula went strongly for McKinley, and from present indications the lower peninsula will do likewise.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Chairman Ferry of the Republican state central committee claims the state for McKinley by 50,000 plurality, and 10 out of 12 congressmen. He concedes two to be in doubt.

IN OLD KENTUCKY.

McKinley Wins and Republicans and Silverites Are Surprised.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 4.—Latest news from the state indicates that McKinley will carry the state by a much greater majority than Bradley carried it in 1895, for governor. The state will probably give McKinley 25,000 to 30,000. The result is a great surprise to the silver leaders, and the size of the result is a surprise to the gold standard men. Not much news has been heard from the western part of the state, where free silver is strongest, but the increased Republican majority in the central and eastern parts put the state beyond question in the gold standard column.

IOWA IN LINE.

Plurality For McKinley May Yet Reach the 100,000 Mark.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—Indications here are that Iowa will give McKinley a plurality of 80,000 or 100,000. The returns are coming in slowly, however. Gains are reported in almost every instance.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—The Register (Rep.) claims that the state will give McKinley over 50,000 plurality, and elect an entire Republican congressional delegation.

The Democratic state central committee concedes Iowa to McKinley.

VOTE OF HOOSIERS

Showed That They Preferred McKinley to Bryan.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Indiana will give McKinley a plurality of 30,000, 11 Republican congressmen will be elected, and two are in doubt. The Republicans will carry both branches of the legislatures by a safe majority. Eighty precincts in Indiana give McKinley 8877, Bryan, 6934; Palmer, 23, a net Republican gain of 822 over '92.

WATSON FROZEN OUT.

Mississippi Gave a Big Majority For the Democratic Ticket.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi gives Bryan a majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000. Seven Democratic candidates for congress are elected by majorities ranging from 1000 to 5000.

Ladies Who Value

A refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder. It produces a soft and beautiful skin.

ON AN ELECTION NIGHT

HOW A NEWSPAPER HANDLES RETURNS.

Results Attained Only After Weeks of Preparation—Getting the Figures, Tabulating Them and Going to Press—Busy Scenes In Every Department of the Paper.

How a newspaper "covers" a presidential election is to most people a problem and a puzzle. Briefly, it makes preparations commensurate to the size of the task, employs the most trusted agencies obtainable, spends money without stint to secure early and late returns, tabulates them and displays them in the most attractive form, describes in a telling way the "story" of election day, comments on the results on its editorial page and goes to press and is on the streets at the earliest moment possible. The details are almost numberless, but no great newspaper neglects them.

Preparation is as necessary in "covering" an election as is fire apparatus in putting out a fire. Here is what a paper like the Chicago Tribune sets out to do:

First.—Print telegrams from every state in the Union showing the vote for president, giving in the case of the more important states the vote by counties and arrange the not results in an electoral table prominently displayed where it will attract the reader's eye, and, next to the headlines, tell the main story of the election.

Second.—Print similar telegrams regarding the fate of the various state tickets, displaying the names of the successful candidates under the headings for the different states.

Third.—Ascertain the political complexion of newly elected legislatures and show at a glance the political standing of the next United States senate.

Fourth.—Print the congressional returns and present a table showing the standing of the new house of representatives and a complete and correct list of members.

Fifth.—Pay special attention to the legislature of its own state, printing the returns and similar tables and lists of the new state senate and house of representatives.

The earliest returns on election night come in the shape of bulletins from scattered sections of the country, and when intelligently compared with the vote of the previous election show the general drift of things in those sections. The political editor, who has an important place in the telegraph room of the newspaper on election night, has the vote of 1892 where it can be consulted instantly. A steady percentage of gain for one side or the other in the precincts heard from is of the greatest significance to him, enabling him to forecast with reasonable accuracy the result in a given state. His assistants, generally expert accountants, under his immediate supervision, are prepared to co-operate with him in some prearranged division of the work. The political editor himself, for instance, probably devotes himself to ascertaining and tabulating the results, while his colaborers "handle" the United States senate, the lower house of congress and the legislature. It should be explained here that the duties of this particular corps of figurers and tabulators do not include the preparation of the dispatches for the printer. They will merely glance at the returns, take off the figures they need and pass them back to the telegraph editors, whose business it is to read and "head" them and send them to the composing room.

In addition to the usual staff of reporters it was found necessary formerly to employ a small army of expert accountants to "help out" on election night by keeping tally of the votes and computing totals. These were engaged in advance, and their services were in demand not only on election night, but often for several nights afterward in tabulating the revised figures. Under this year's system the necessity for extra help, so far as the newspapers directly are concerned, was largely reduced. The small army of accountants will be employed by and work for the City Press association, thereby simplifying the task of the newspapers.

Of course no big paper goes to press the morning after an election without a telling cartoon on its first page, pictures and sketches of the new president and vice president and other prominent winners, and interviews with and gossip concerning the successful and losing candidates, their bearing under victory or defeat and their future plans. All these things must be arranged for in advance, even if it be necessary to have two cartoons ready, each telling a different story, but one of them "warranted to fit."

Another important adjunct of the work on election night is the reception and display of bulletins to the thousands that crowd about the newspaper offices. No one who has ever witnessed the brilliant illumination about the Chicago Tribune building at such times and the latest returns flashed by a stereopticon on an immense screen across the way will forget the scene or the enthusiasm of such portions of the crowd as were pleased with the results at the ballot box. The bulletin service must be engaged in advance, and all the accessories provided, and the paper that fails to meet these expectations is forthwith voted a back number.

It is 5 o'clock election afternoon, and as the polls close at 4 in Chicago the night and telegraph editors, the political editor, the city editor and his assistants, and the expert accountants and department men who aid both the telegraph and local forces election night are already at their desks getting everything into shape for a long siege. Owing to the difference in time, returns from the east come in earlier than those from the west. Significant "straws" may have been received from New England, New York and other states along the Atlantic in the form of early bulletins, which are hurried to the stereopticon room and thrown on the screen across the street. The first installment of the crowd about the building has gathered, and while it is not as noisy as it will be later on it is sufficiently enthusiastic for a starter. City precinct bulletins are coming in now and being displayed on the screen, and the crowd is warming up. Then comes another batch from the east or from Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and points in Illinois, and though it is still early the tin horn is in evidence and the grip car man has to feel his way through the crowd. By and by the returns take on a more definite character, and the statisticians in the telegraph and local rooms buckle down to real work. The receiver at the pneumatic tubes is doing business now, every moment or two bringing a small, cylinder shaped, leather covered box within which are returns from one to a dozen different points—local or outside. In the telegraph operators' room quick fingers are transcribing on typewriters what a dozen special correspondents here and there, hundreds or thousands of miles away, are sending over the wires. The blanks in the hands of the political editor and his assistants are slowly filling up, the telegraph editors are sending to the composing room miscellaneous copy and election dispatches other than returns, and the typesetting machines transform it into glittering lines of type. Later these metal lines help to fill the columns and pages of the great day after election paper.

Down stairs in the local room they have already received a number of complete ward, precinct and country town tables. The totals are taken off for the presidential, gubernatorial and other tables, and the "flimsy" copy rushed up stairs to be put in type.

It is the next thing to impossible election night to get total votes from all over the country, outside of the large cities, where the methods of counting and of transmitting results are much more rapid than in rural communities. In fact, so largely do the first night's returns consist of more or less accurate estimates of pluralities that the best a newspaper can do, at least in its first edition, is to print plurality tables. If not in its second edition, then in its first edition of the following day the reader will get uniformly the showing of total votes received by the opposing candidates, with the pluralities as figured out.

The editorial writers go home even somewhat earlier than usual the afternoon of election day, but they make up for it at night, when their presence is required at the office to comment on the all absorbing news as it finally crystallizes into ascertained facts. Generally an extra plate of the editorial page is required in the second edition to correct some of the earlier figures and make them agree with those received later and which will appear in the news columns.

The composing room is a fairly lively place any night, but election night sees it at its liveliest, especially after 9 or 10 o'clock. When election "copy" begins to come up, it comes in almost an uninterrupted rush until the finish. Never is the composing room system of classification and expedition put to a severer test, and never are the "make up" men more thankful for the invention of machine set instead of hand set type, especially when it comes to putting tabular matter into the forms. The press and mailing rooms—always busy places—are busier than usual election night, for the demand for extra papers is always enormous and necessitates an increased force in both departments to meet it.

The liveliest part of election night is the period between the first and second editions, or from 1 to 3 a. m. After the force of editors, reporters and statisticians have snatched a hasty lunch of sandwiches and coffee brought in from a down town restaurant they resume work on the returns still piling up before them. Consulting the proofs of the matter sent out and put in type earlier, they strike out here, insert new figures there, kill a heading and write a new one, change totals to conform to changes in the tables, cut down articles to fit them to required spaces and continue to send out new matter in the shape of later dispatches or new tables. Meanwhile the night editor is scheming out the arrangement of his "open" pages for the second edition, seeking to improve the old order and to present the newest and most important developments in the most conspicuous way. While in the midst of "making up" he shuts off the supply of "copy" to be set for the second edition and orders whatever is to come marked "extra" if it proves of sufficient importance to warrant another edition. Finally, about 3 o'clock, after pitching an article here, adding a piece of election matter there, to fill a column and using his miscellaneous short news pieces to fill holes, he sends the paper to press. It is a tradition that the average night editor "sweats blood" on divers and sundry occasions and that his temper, at least during working hours, is not exactly angelic. If there is anything that might justify this impression, it would be his exasperating experiences on election night.—Chicago Tribune.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Wholesale Methods of Indians In Puget Sound.

The annual fall slaughter of the herds of deer that for centuries have lived practically unmolested on the many small islands in Puget sound has commenced. Last year three bands of pot hunters shipped several hundred deer to the neighboring markets and lessened the size of the herds very materially. Most of these hunters were Indians from the Tulalip reservation at the mouth of the Snohomish river.

The trade last year proved so profitable to the Indian managers, Jack Moses and Long Charley, that they have hired a number of Indians for three months and taken up their headquarters at Holmes harbor on Whidby island. They are well equipped with guns and have a pack of 20 excellent hounds. From this point they send out boats with man and hounds to the surrounding islands, and a rented steam launch brings their game to market. This wholesale hunting will undoubtedly destroy the entire herds. This slaughter is in direct violation of state game laws.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Self Rocking Chair.

At the residence of Charles Hammond in Columbus, O., there is considerable uneasiness over the mysterious actions of a certain rocking chair which seems endowed with certain supernatural powers. With no one near the chair will begin to rock to and fro, and this has not only been noticed by Mrs. Hammond, but by her mother, who was on a visit and knew nothing of any unusual manifestations.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Confidence.

Dah's one t'ing 'bout dis country, an I tells yo' dis fob sho'—
She's boun ter come out safely, ez she's allus done befo'.
We's gwinter feel de same cle sense ob prondness when we sees
De stahs an stripes a-shinin an a-billowin in de breeze.
Yo' kin allus fin some floaters on de tide ob eloquence,
But it's hahd ter make it big enough ter drown dah common sense.
Yo' kin 'pend upon er nation fob ter stan mos' any test
When de people keeps a-hopin an a-tryin fob de best.

An f'um de no'thern waters, whah de chilly breezes blow,
Ter de summer time dat lingers roun de gulf ob Mexico,
Yo'll fin de one opinion dat'll never go astray—
Dis country is earth's greatest, an we'll keep it dat-a-way.
Yo' kain't mislead wif conxin, an dey wakes up f'um de dreams
Dat dey sometimes lapses inter fro' some hypnotisin schemes.
We's boun ter be one fam'ly f'um de east cl'ar fro' de west,
While de people keeps a hopin an a-tryin fob de best.

—Washington Star.

Too Late.

De Sappy—When I was a child, I had a fall that knocked me senseless.

Miss Perk—I suppose it is too late now to do anything about it.—Town Topics.

Patrick's Observation.

"How odd it is," said Pat as he trudged along on foot one snitry day, "that a man never meets a cart going the same way as he is!"—Household Words.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

SCARLET FEVER IN SCHOOL

BREAKS OUT IN THE HIGHLAND KINDERGARTEN.

There Are Several Children Stricken With the Malady.

The kindergarten in the Highland Congregational church has been badly broken up by scarlet fever. Already not less than half a dozen cases are reported, and it is feared that it may become epidemic. Lieutenant Kew's children were taken with the disease among the foremost, and the children of two other prominent citizens in the Highlands, have also been stricken. Investigation revealed the fact that several children were attending the kindergarten while suffering from a mild form of scarlet fever, and thus it was the disease spread. The kindergarten was closed for some days and fumigated, while the parents of the children were requested to have their little ones examined by their family physician lest they might be affected with the contagion. A doctor visits the kindergarten daily at present and examines the children carefully in order to guard against any further spread of the disease.

IN CALEDONIAL HALL.

Ladies' Thistle Club and Caledonians Have Merry Gathering.

The Ladies' Thistle club and the Caledonians held a Halloween festival last night in Caledonian hall. The concert program included piano selection, Prof. Buckley; songs by Mrs. W. H. Pepin and Thomas Wardell; an appropriate and well delivered, but brief address by Rev. Dr. Court, followed by a reading. Auld Lang Syne by the company closed this feature, after some bagpipe selections and a dance by James Frazer.

After the entertainment, supper was served, and dancing followed.

LOCAL NOTES.

First-class coat makers wanted at Bertrand's, Middle street.

A. B. Butterfield, 84 Forrest street, reported to the police last night that he had his Stearns bicycle stolen from in front of Carter's drug store.

At Post 156, G.A.R. hall, last night, the Sons and Daughters of Maine had a largely attended and substantial supper of the old Pine Tree state sort.

It is said the Massachusetts mills are soon to grant an increase of wages to a majority of their employes. This is probably in accordance with the promises made by republican campaign managers that in the event of McKinley's election wages would increase.

Brutally Assaulted His Wife.

Teresa Riley who resides on Union street was assaulted by her husband this morning, who struck her on the head with a saucer, inflicting a bad wound. She was taken in the ambulance to the city farm. Her husband was arrested by Officers John B. Crowley and Tilton.

Riley, it is alleged, attempted to cut his wife's throat a few years ago. Not long ago the woman gave birth to a child unexpectedly and the infant died on its way to the farm.

At the police station, as usual, no one appeared to know anything about the case notwithstanding the fact that Riley was locked up at the time.

New Circle Instituted.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, was instituted at Odd Fellows' hall, Merrimack street, last evening, with 25 charter members by Deputy W. H. Hurrigan, assisted by Napoleon Roy of Court Samuel de Champlain as marshall.

After initiation of members the following officers were elected and installed: Chief Companion, Mary A. Gookin; S. C. C., Miss Monohan; F. S., Kate A. Tweed; treasurer, Miss Breen; right and left guides, Misses Curran and Delehanty; inside and outside guardians, Misses Hubin and Horgan.

Chelmsford House Burned.

The house of Mrs. Mary J. Kearns in Chelmsford, situated on the plains, so called on the road from the Centre to this city, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The loss is $500 on the building. Cause unknown.

The Amendment Vote.

Biennial elections will not go with the voters of this city but the new city charter goes by a large majority. A great proportion of the voters paid little attention to the amendments as may be may be seen by the surprisingly large number of blanks cast. When the early reports came in it appeared that the "By any old" elections all on account of the blanks but both parties voted against the unpopular move though the greater number of its friends were republicans.

Alleged Contraltville Burglars.

A. N. Harmon and Charles True were arrested today by Inspectors Ladamme and Officer Cawley for alleged burglary of Milo Hale's store on Bridge street. This was the alleged burglary in which the thieves ran away from the officer after he had cornered them behind some barrels.

Savoy Theatre.

The double bill. There was the largest audience of the season present at this popular play-house last evening, and not a seat was to be had on the lower floor after 7.45. The two plays, "In Honor Bound" and "Arabian Nights," were received with great applause and enthusiasm, and these, with the reading of the election returns, occupied the time until nearly midnight, when a well satisfied audience departed. The double bill will be repeated this afternoon and evening, and large audiences are assured.

At City Hall.

The local returns were slow in coming in at City hall and the usual crowd of spectators was absent, having dropped in early and seeing or hearing no excitement dropped out again and made tracks for the more exciting scenes about town.

The reporters had different and decidly better accommodations this year, being assigned to the public hearing room with the use of Supt. Cheney's office and telephone, which office by the way, was originally the press room and was usurped by Cleve. Of course this arrangement caused a decided inconvenience to the crowd who were want to get their returns from the reporters, but the reporters were well pleased with it.

City Clerk Dadman received the returns and turned them over to Arthur Salmon, who carried them to the press headquarters.

As early as six o'clock the citizens began to arrive and among the first were the roman candle brothers, Cheney and Miles, with a stick of fireworks to explode in case of a lack of enthusiasm on the part of the republicans, but the candles were stolen and exploded prematurely. Ex-chairman Killeski of the republican city committee, Alderman Howe and a few others blew in about seven o'clock and waited patiently until the first returns came in.

After the returns were started to get to city hall, they came rapidly for a couple of hours and as it became known that Major Rowell would land after all, the members of Centralville lodge began to ease up and the Courier-Citizen staff began to think of the raise in salary which it has been crying follows the election of McKinley.

About midnight a crowd of enthusiastic republicans well filled with enthusiasm and other things hove in sight and saluted the hall.

Precinct three of Ward 8 came in last at 3.15 o'clock and at four Janitor Bill McGuirk closed the doors on the last of the watchers and Ned Cheney welcomed the dawn of day with a dozen or more roman candles which one disconsolate democrat said were pretty tough sort of "balls" to spring upon a man on the morning after election.

DO NOT HEAT YOUR BLOOD

Until it is almost a fever by trying to bake your bread through hot weather, as you will find this poor economy; but have

PETER WATSON

call at your home, and for less than it would cost you to bake it yourself, you can get his celebrated cream bread, or pastry. Three delivery teams run to all parts of the city. Retail stores at

52, to 60 Charles Street, and 465 Lawrence Street.

GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE OF TRUNKS and BAGS

Our entire stock of TRUNKS, BAGS, POCKET-BOOKS, STRAPS, etc., to be Slaughtered at prices unheard of.

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Choice Teas, Coffees and Spices

Try our "BIG TWELVE" brand of flour the best in the city.

ORDER YOUR

FALL SUIT OR OVERCOAT AT

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DR. WALKER DENTIST

WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 43 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT.—Learn dress cutting and work for us. Position given to competent pupils. Room 53, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement at No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. B. Chalifoux, with J. L. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly house.

FOUND—That after $260 cakes of "Sapro Shine" guaranteed to clean silver, plant, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

WANTED—A treasurer for a good reliable stock company. Must deposit cash security. Apply at once to F. J. Meredith, Masonic hall, Lowell.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share; must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1850. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendations; also good references. Address R, sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE.—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rory Cheshire Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres. Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $12 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 377 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 70 houses have been built in the last 6 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

A. J. RYAN, Agt.

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9 TIMES OUT OF 10.

When you look at your watch and some one sees you and asks you the time you will look again. It wasn't important enough to fix it on their mind but when you have tried most everything for your cough and have at last found relief by using "Goodale's Cough Cure" you remember it. It has that peculiarity of hitting the cough almost every time. 25c.

GOODALE'S DRUG STORE, 217 Central Street.

GOOKIN BROS.

ARE YOU THINKING OF FURNISHING?

DO YOUR ROOMS NEED CARPETS?

ARE YOU GOING TO BE MARRIED?

DO YOU REQUIRE ANY ARTICLE OF FURNITURE?

If so come and look through our warerooms. You will be courteously waited on whether you want to buy or not, and you will learn something about our prices that will cause you to trade with us when you need anything in our line. See our line of Couches at $8.00 and upwards. Chamber suites and Parlor suites from the cheapest to the best. Dining room furniture that is sure to please you both in style and price. The Glenwood ranges and Parlor stoves always in stock. Carpets and floor coverings of all kinds. A complete assortment of Housefurnishings.

66 Prescott Street.

The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s

EXPORT BEER

Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery.

An Excellent Tonic

For Sale by All Local Dealers.

LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee. fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

Building materials are very low. You can get all mason's supplies of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, at low figures.

There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Saproshine. It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Dead Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in the woods in Pelham yesterday afternoon. No particulars can be obtained regarding the body.

Found in the River.

Workmen in the employ of the Locks and Canals company yesterday afternoon found the body of an infant in the river opposite Hunt's falls. It was turned over to Undertaker Brooks.

WHAT IT COST.

To Pay School Teachers and Janitors Last Month.

The total pay roll of the school department for the month of September was $21,844.11. Of this amount it took $10,267.77 to pay the grammar, high, special teachers and school officials; primary teachers, $6774; training school teachers, $1,025.09; kindergarten teachers and janitors, $1122.50; evening school teachers, $2003.75; evening school janitors, $244; drawing school teachers, $395; drawing janitors, $12.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The overseers of the poor will meet tonight to approve bills. Among the bills will be the charges of the lands and buildings committee for work at the city institutions and they will probably precipitate a lively discussion.

The committee on accounts of the school board met last evening and approved bills.

The sewer committee will meet tonight to hear persons in favor and against petitions for new sewers and extensions. Bills will also be approved.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Today's are the last performances of Sherman & Morrissey's fancy collection of specialties, in Old Dan Tucker and those who have not seen the show are missing many laughable things.

John W. Isham's "Octoroons" will be the entertainment at Music hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday when a program will be presented that will delight almost any audience for which that popular play house is noted. It consists of clever and original sketches, singing, dancing, comedy and concludes with selections from the best grand and comic operas of the day, correctly costumed and scenically staged. The opening farce is full of mirth, melody and clever dialogue and while being a hit upon the fads and follies of racing also serves to introduce some clever singing and dancing. The olio which follows is made of several specialty acts which cost no little sum in the ensemble. The company has been carefully selected and while the singing of all is good, there are several voices which attract more than usual attention. Mr. Isham has endeavored to provide a novelty and it would seem that he has succeeded more than usually well.

CRISP GOSSIP.

John Murray, clerk in B. D. O'Connell's office is quite an adept sketcher. The young man very cleverly copies any kind of a portrait or caricature and reproduces it equally as good as the original. He drew the plates for the Sun's stereopticon last night.

Andrew G. Swapp, chairman of the school board has served a longer term in that body than any man. He is now in his fourteenth year of service, and as the old saying is "He improves with age." The republicans of Ward seven evidently know a good thing.

Dr. Thomas A. McCarthy a Holy Cross college graduate was bitterly opposed by the A. P. A.'s of Nashua yesterday in his fight for school committee. Dr. McCarthy is already a member of the board and was a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. He is well known in this city.

An orchestra will be organized of young men in St. Patrick's Cadet band. It will consist of 14 or 18 pieces and will commence to hold regular rehearsals next week.

At the meeting of the Catholic Lyceum tomorrow evening the newly elected officers will be installed. The exercises will be conducted by Dr. John J. Savage.

One of the oldest members of the Mathew Temperance Institute is John J. Lonergan the well known young boot and shoe merchant.

Mr. Lonergan is prominent in every affair conducted by the organization and is an earnest and willing worker in the temperance cause.

The invitations to the wedding of Mayor Courtney and Miss Alice Angeline Brouillette are being sent out.

"Are you going over to hear "Joe" Donohoe make a speech tonight?" asked a friend of Overseer Mahoney a few days ago. "Is Donohoe going to make a speech? Well I guess I'll be there; I would go to Billerica to hear him speak" answered Overseer Mahoney. "Joe" is making a record as a Bryan orator.

The liquor dealers and their clerks had a holiday yesterday and scores of them could be seen with guns and dogs going a 'hunting early in the morning, having first voted of course. The liquor dealers have nearly as many holidays as do school-children.

The Consumers' Hunting club held a day in the woods yesterday and President Rupperecht as usual bagged the best game.

The Lowell & Suburban construction department of which the boss is Mr. Michael O'Donnell, has just completed a remarkably quick and fine job of track laying in the extension of the Westford street line.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

23 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 23 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

there will be less than 40 Democrats.

Hartford, Nov. 4.—Chairman Fyler of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "With every town but one heard from, McKinley has 51,500 majority in Connecticut, and about 53,500 majority for Cooke for governor. Four Republican congressmen are elected by majorities ranging from 5000 to 16,000. Legislature will be about 225 out of 252 representatives, and senate wholly Republican."

THE GRANITE STATE

Gives McKinley a Plurality Estimated at About 20,000.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—New Hampshire returns came in very slowly, on account of the large number of names on the ticket; but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley, and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. The Palmer and Buckner ballot was very light, and out of a total poll of 90,000, it is not expected to exceed 5000 votes. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but it seems likely that he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The Republicans also gained in representatives elected, and the legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches; and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one, are Republican. This city gives McKinley 1000 plurality, and elects Albert B. Woodworth (Rep.) mayor by a large plurality.

Chairman Spaulding of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "Returns from 70 towns indicate 23,000 to 30,000 for McKinley, and about 20,000 plurality for governor. Congressmen will have from 10,000 to 12,000 each. Legislature overwhelmingly Republican. Gallinger's re-election as senator absolutely assured."

PLURALITY OF 35,000.

Republicans and Democrats Lost Percentages In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are being completed very slowly. Those at hand indicate that the Republican majority will be about 60 per cent greater than that of 1892, but that it will fall away from the September plurality given the Republican candidate for governor. As near as can be calculated from the meagre returns at hand, the Republican plurality will be about 35,000. In the towns heard from, the Gold Democrats hold about 10 per cent of the total vote, and this loss to the Democratic party is about equal to that of the Republican party in the state.

A FALLING OFF.

But Maine Still Furnishes a Big Plurality For McKinley.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Maine's plurality for McKinley, according to estimates made on the basis of returns from cities and towns in all quarters of the state, will probably fall short of the immense plurality at the September election by from 1500 to 2000 votes. The returns indicate a Republican plurality in the state of 46,600, while the plurality in September was 48,377 for governor.

GORMAN FORCES ROUTED.

McKinley Leads Bryan by Not Less Than 30,000 Votes.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Maryland, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, have again tasted the bitterness of a defeat, so crushing as to be almost disheartening. The almost phenomenal majority of 20,000 for Lowndes a year ago has been duplicated and perhaps exceeded, as with full returns from two-thirds of the state and half of the city, the indications are that McKinley leads Bryan by 30,000; 20,000 of which has been contributed by Baltimore city, heretofore a Gibraltar of Democracy. Five Republican congressmen have surely been elected, the only doubtful district being the First, in which Joshua W. Miles (Dem.) may be elected. Mr. Miles, although running on a silver platform, has always favored the gold standard, and many think he may be relied upon to vote that way if returned to congress. There was no state ticket in the field, and a detailed vote in a case like this would appear superfluous. In the city, an almost unanimous Republican council has been chosen, including all the members of the "combine" which opposed Mayor Hooper, save the two Democrats who acted with them.

OVER 300,000 PLURALITY.

Republican Voters Turned Out In Force In the Empire State.

Albany, Nov. 4.—With less than one-fourth of the election districts above the Harlem river to hear from, and with the vote of New York city and Kings county complete, the plurality of McKinley over Bryan promises to exceed 300,000 in the state.

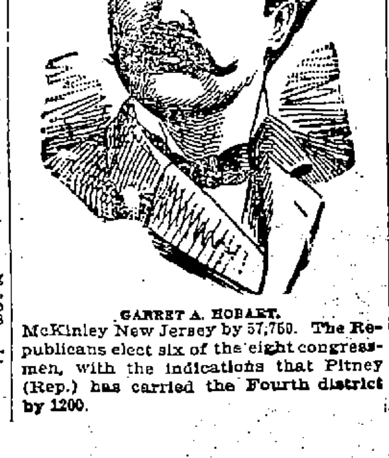
One county in the state, Schoharie, which is the home of Chairman Danforth of the Democratic state committee, has given Bryan a plurality of 600.

New York city has broken its political record of presidential elections. It has given a Republican plurality for president for the first time in its history. From 1832 to 1896, with one exception, Democratic presidential candidates have never polled less than 57 per cent of the total vote of the city. In 1848, the defection of Van Buren and the free soil party cut down the vote of the Democratic party to less than 36 per cent, but left a small plurality. Even in the Greeley campaign of 1872 the Democratic candidate nearly had 59 per cent.

HOBART'S STATE

Carried by the Republican Ticket by a Substantial Margin.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Revised estimates, based on the returns already in, give



GARRET A. HOBART.

McKinley New Jersey by 57,760. The Republicans elect six of the eight congressmen, with the indications that Pitney (Rep.) has carried the Fourth district by 1200.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is GOOD for all diseases that have their origin in impure blood. It is BETTER than other sarsaparillas, better made, of better ingredients and by better methods. Its record of cures proclaims it the BEST

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Reports received from all parts of New Jersey, with no county complete, indicate the state has gone Republican by 45,000 on president. Seven of the eight Republican candidates for congress appear to be elected. The state legislature will probably stand: Assembly Republicans, 44 or 45; Democrats, 15 or 16. Senate: Republicans, 18; Democrats, 3. Three, and perhaps four, of, the 21 counties have gone Democratic. The Palmer-Buckner vote is higher than expected.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 4.—Chairman Murphy of the state committee claims the state by 35,000. Chairman Price of the Democratic state committee admits the state has gone for McKinley by 10,000.

SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Republican Electors but Governor Will Probably Be a Democrat.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—On account of the length of the ticket and much scratching, the count of the vote in Delaware is very slow. Enough is known, however, to indicate surely that McKinley has carried the state by about 1000 majority. In other respects, owing to the division of the Republican party into two factions, the Democrats have been successful. They have elected Tunnell governor, and Handy to congress, by about 5000 plurality each. They have also elected a majority of the legislature.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Returns from this city and all over the state are very slow. It is believed that the Republicans elected the presidential electors by at least 1000 majority, but Tunnell (Dem.) will probably be elected governor, and Handy (free silver congressman) is also probably elected. Reports from Kent and Sussex county say there was a great deal of trouble at the polls, the Addicks men attempting to secure the voters' assistants. In some districts no election was held. The Democrats claim they have carried Kent and Sussex counties by small majorities.

PLURALITY OF 280,000.

Is the Estimate of the Republican Vote In the Keystone State.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Estimates from every county in the state give McKinley an apparent plurality of 260,950. The great size of the ticket made counting necessarily slow, and the estimates in many counties are undoubtedly below the actual Republican pluralities. There is every reason to believe that the official returns will show a plurality for McKinley of 280,000. The legislature is almostly entirely Republican, the Democratic representatives not exceeding 10 per cent in the lower house.

Florida For Bryan.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall carry Florida by a majority over McKinley, closely estimated at 13,000 to 14,500, as against a majority of 18,900 for Bloxham (Dem.), for governor, over Gunby (Rep.) in the state election, Oct. 6. The returns received, covering one-fourth of the state, show a loss of about 4 per cent in the Democratic vote, and a gain of 39 per cent in the Republican. The total vote shows a considerable increase over that thrown in October, all the gain being on the Republican side. The Democratic aggregate will be about 26,000, and the Republican about 12,000.

McKinley Gets Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Nov. 4.—A tremendous vote was polled The total will break all records in national elections in Tennessee. The city of Chattanooga has gone Republican. McKinley is leading the ticket in the county and district. The state at large is considered safe for McKinley.

Democrats Win by 20,000

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The returns received thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried Virginia by 20,000. They gained in the black counties, but lost in the cities and some white counties.

In Favor of Republicans.

Wheeling, Nov. 4.—The chairman of the Republican state committee says that McKinley's plurality will be 20,000. Returns come slowly. So far indicate Republican gains.

Who does your printing? THE SUN job print would do it well and save you money.

KEEPS IT HANDY

Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

"Handy to have in the house," is an old expression, and relates to those things that emergency demands. Our good old grandmothers always kept a full stock of them, and that is where the old saying came from. Tried and true remedies soon become a part of the household dispensary, and this is right. In those olden days kidney troubles meant send for the doctor. Today, Doan's Kidney Pills in the house are the safeguards against backaches, urinary derangement, pains in the kidneys and all the miseries they bring. They are the sure cure for any stage of kidney complaint and a very important feature with them is that they do not affect any healthy condition of any part of the system. They are simply kidney remedies and do their work. Ladies, far more than men, appreciate such remedies. The constant going up and down stairs and ordinary bending and stooping necessary in house work tells on the kidneys, and having something sure to dispel the complaint "handy" is the right thing to do. Mrs. Charles Slowey, 641 Market street, tells us her complaint began with backache, then soreness across the kidneys, followed by urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs was painful. The urine was scant and pained in passage. Indigestion added its weight, and she was thoroughly depressed. She says: "I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got them at Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and I want to say now I have no more pains or urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs doesn't bother me, and the urine is natural. Doan's Kidney Pills did it and I now have a box in the house that we all take on the first intimation of any more backache."

Price 50 cents per box; for sale by all dealers, or mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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Representative—27th.				
Michael J. Coughlin, d.	132	143	241	519
Joseph F. Donohoe, d.	156	178	260	554
Chas. E. Hosmer, r.	283	266	290	839
Edward A. Stevens, r.	270	243	266	779
Blanks	111	125	161	377
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r.	290	273	316	881
George A. Perkins, d.	151	165	232	649
Blanks	35	20	59	120
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d.	133	147	235	515
William S. Knox, r.	318	296	325	939
Blanks	25	21	48	95

For President.

	Bryan and Sewall, D	Bryan and Sewall, N. Pr	Bryan and Watson	McKinley and Hobart	Palmer and Buckner
Ward 1	395	9	1	892	16
2	607	8	12	358	20
3	249	13	3	1217	21
4	748	25	5	529	12
5	703	36	3	479	11
6	423	10	4	597	12
7	266	2	6	1046	25
8	207	37	3	1366	24
9	333	66	2	937	27
Total	4091	206	30	7870	168

For Governor.

	Coffin	Prince	Williams, D.	Williams, Pop.	Williams, D. Br.	Wolcott
Ward 1	6	25	336	25	21	813
2	3	26	704	53	16	321
3	5	27	223	20	30	1161
4	2	34	748	16	102	479
5	3	31	670	36	04	426
6	7	20	389	6	72	923
7	13	32	355	8	15	1001
8	17	25	190	10	29	1290
9	6	40	357	7	57	950
Total	65	263	3972	161	416	7309

Lieut.-Governor.	Callahan	Crane	McConnell	Congressman Harrington	Knox
Ward 1	395	795	11	427	822
2	764	230	24	861	323
3	269	1127	21	345	1151
4	875	410	37	943	477
5	765	393	31	632	465
6	454	907	15	642	937
7	423	968	22	486	972
8	226	1104	16	270	1310
9	....	....	....	516	939
Total	4191	6007	177	5250	7396

Senator.	Brigham	Fisher	Mevoy	Putnam	Co. Comm'er Gould	Perkins
Ward 1	....	....	407	863	782	445
2	....	....	834	318	295	851
3	....	....	358	1141	1082	351
4	....	....	920	479	445	940
5	390	535	....	....	406	832
6	....	....	479	913	947	481
7	....	....	442	959	896	533
8	....	....	250	1312	1260	320
9	933	525	....	....	881	548
Total	1203	1360	3640	5980	6994	5306

First Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Ward 1	480	458	417
2	218	728	879
3	660	472	377
4	338	769	427
5	313	657	457
6	532	553	400
7	352	607	453
8	735	438	481
9	824	509	416
Total	4458	5151	3935

Second Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks.
Ward 1	443	447	405
2	223	662	440
3	641	441	533
4	275	754	505
5	258	652	505
6	476	518	581
7	563	530	509
8	655	438	503
9	580	435	465
Total	4133	4917	463

City Charter Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Wards 1	624	270	374
2	443	457	425
3	617	311	457
4	610	436	474
5	578	356	457
6	827	166	487
7	822	327	423
8	903	161	523
9	935	308	403
Total	6561	2050	4060

Fifth Congressional District.

In the fifth congressional district Knox wins by a big majority. The republican reserve vote came out strong. In every city and town Harrington ran ahead of his ticket. The vote by cities and towns:

	Harrington, d	Knox r
Andover	171	689
Dracut	119	272
Lynnfield	12	129
Lawrence	3487	4380
Methuen	212	750
North Andover	195	360
North Reading	25	119
Peabody	695	1115
Reading	155	781
Tewksbury	38	219
Wilmington	29	160
Woburn	1030	1395
Lowell	5230	7396
Total	11,308	17,740

REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST.

	Byam (25th)	Conroy (25th)	Hayes (25th)	Lang (25th)	Ramsey (25th)	Whitman (25th)	Dobbins (28th)	Gordon (28th)	Mansfield (28th)	Pattee (28th)	Rowell (28th)	Stickney (28th)	Coughlin (27th)	Donohoe (27th)	Hosmer (27th)	Stevens (27th)
Ward 1	....	....	....	....	....	....	700	421	450	734	708	487	....	....	....	....
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	208	839	591	166	266	791	....	....	....	....
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5	830	889	390	387	485	873	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	....	....	....	....	....	....	708	492	520	767	856	564	....	....	....	....
7	463	461	951	898	824	501	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
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Total	1612	1680	2540	2476	2328	1805	2804	2100	2273	2767	2835	2216	1349	1404	1201	1101

The returns from the country towns in the 25th and 27th representative districts give the republican candidates the election.

MR. HARRINGTON'S VOTE.

He Runs Ahead of His Ticket All Over the District.

The vote for John H. Harrington, democratic candidate for congress for the 5th district, is very gratifying to his friends in this city.

In Lowell the democratic vote was as follows: Bryan, 4091; Williams, 3972, Harrington, 5230. By these figures it appears that Mr. Harrington leads Bryan in Lowell by 1139 votes and ran ahead of Mr. Williams, the candidate for governor 1258 votes. In every ward in this city he shows a gain over the head of the democratic ticket. In Lawrence he leads Mr. Williams by about 200 votes. In Woburn by 103 votes and so on throughout the entire district where his vote over that for the democratic heads of the ticket will not be far from 2000. The democrats of Lowell in particular will be pleased to know that their candidate led his ticket in every city and town in the 5th district.

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50 New Plain Kersey Jackets, in Tan, Blue, Green, Brown and Black, made in the Empire, shield front and tight-fitting effects, from $4 to $8 less than regular prices.

25 Ladies' Double Capes, made of Beaver Cloth and embroidered with Jet and Mohair Braid, worth $5, this week only $2.95.

$6.50, Worth $10.

Jackets in great variety of the leading styles, in Persian, Boucle, Melton and Fancy Mixtures, garments that cannot be duplicated later, and made to sell for $10, this week only $6.50.

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In Marten, Mink, Astrachan, Electric Seal, etc., at exceedingly low prices.

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Returns : Returns :

HOSIERY.

Ladies' all wool Hose derby, and 2 and 1 ribbed, 12 1-2c a pair.
Ladies' seamless Hose, fast dye, ribbed, 19c a pair.
Ladies' extra fine, 38 wool Hose, for 25c a pair.
Men's half Hose, seamless, for 12 1-2c a pair.
Men's half Hose, all wool camel's hair, 19c a pair.
Misses' and Children's wool hose, 12 1-2c and 15c a pair.
Misses' and Children's fleece lined Hose, 10c.
Misses' fleece lined cotton Hose, 15c.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, a bargain for this week, 17c.
Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, for this week, 19c.
Ladies' extra fine Egyptian yarn Jersey Vests, 25c.
Ladies' combination Suits, 49c, 98c and $1.50.
Misses' and Children's Merino and Shetland Underwear, 9c up.
Men's Merino Shirts and drawers, 25c.
Men's fleece lined and Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, 49c.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, $1.25 kind, 98 cents.

GLOVES.

Extra special lot Kid Gloves, all kinds, none worth less than $1, 59c pair.
Chamois Wash Gloves 69c pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, all sizes, black and colors, 19c.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, the 38c grade for 25c.
Misses' and Children's Fine Cashmere Gloves 19c.
Children's Mittens, 1 dozen left at 8c pair.
See our line of Taffeta Gloves with fleece lining.

CORSETS.

Big job strip Corsets, a 50c lot for 39c.
The Leader Corset, worth 75c, sold by us at 69c, now 50c.
R. & G., P. N., W. B. Corsets, choice 75c.
Ferris Waists, the only waist, 75c.

YARNS.

Big deal in wool ball Yarn to be sold quick at 7c.
Scotch Yarns, the 25c kind, 19c.
Zephyr and Germantown Yarns at prices heretofore not known to the trade.

FREE--Have you tried our Dainty Luncheon yet? You should. FREE Lectures at 10 a. m., and 2 p. m., by the Chef.---FREE.

THE BON MARCHE,

Jobbers and Retailers of Millinery, Dry and Fancy Goods.

LIKE A FAIRY TALE.

Little Girl Wanders Away and Is Adopted by Bears.

Four-year-old Helma Ursler wandered away from her home near Snowshoe, Pa., Thursday noon. She was swallowed up in the wilderness of the Alleghany mountains.

A large searching party turned out to beat the woods. Late Saturday afternoon four lumbermen found the child about a mile and a half from her home in the dense woods, playing with two bear cubs. Strange to say, though her clothes were torn, she was uninjured except by brier scratches.

The men were taking Helma away when a 300 pound female bear dashed out from the underbrush. After a desperate struggle the beast was killed with axes. Fritz Yanser's right arm was terribly lacerated by the animal's teeth and claws, and amputation will probably be necessary.

Mrs. Ursler was almost insane when the child was returned. It is a trait of the bears in that vicinity that they never harm little children.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inauguration Ceremonies.

The Baltimore Sun says that when Governor Elect Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama is inaugurated, he will stand upon a foundation of silver. The heels of his shoes will be covered with plates of the white metal. W. H. Council, president of the Colored State Normal and Industrial school at Normal, Ala., has just had manufactured a pair of patent leather shoes which will be worn by Governor Johnston at his inaugural. The shoes are the handiwork of negro students. On the solid silver heel plates are carved horseshoes. Within the horseshoe of the left plate is this: "Made and Presented to His Excellency Joseph F. Johnston, Governor of the State of Alabama, by the State Normal and Industrial School, Normal, Ala."

They Met—as Usual.

The meeting of the National Cut and Wire Nail Manufacturers' association held in this city yesterday was merely the usual meeting for the month. There was nothing sensational about it. It was held for the usual purpose.

What is politely called a "national association" is really the Nail trust. It is so organized that half a dozen men from various cities, meeting in a private parlor in New York, fix the price of every nail driven in this country.

That is all. It is very simple. There is no longer anything extraordinary about it. It is now the usual thing.—New York World.

A New Type of Woman.

A new type of new woman has appeared in London. When a man offered her a seat in a car the other day, she refused it, saying: "Indeed, no; this so called politeness on the part of mankind is only the gilding of our chains. Men are polite because they think women inferior to them. If they looked upon us as their equals, these stupid gallantries would cease."

A Princess' Dowry.

It is announced in Vienna that the Russian emperor informed the Prince of Montenegro that he had fixed 1,000,000 rubles as a dowry for the Princess Helene, the same amount having been given to her elder sisters by the late emperor. The wedding present of the Russian imperial couple was a diamond ornament made in Paris at the cost of 2,000,000 francs.

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

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MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND HALF HOSE

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

3 cases cotton and wool shirts and drawers, Grey and white at the extraordinary low price of 37½c. Each.

1 case white wool Shirts and Drawers, goods which have always sold at 75c. each. Our special price 59c. Each.

1 case wool fleece Shirts and Drawers, elegantly finished, seconds of $1.00 quality, almost as good as firsts, at 50c. Each.

HALF HOSE.

1 case Grey Merino Half Hose, seamless, double heels and toes, well worth 22c. by doz., our price 12½c. Pair.

1 case Grey wool and Camel's Hair Half Hose, heavy weight and good value at 17c. Pair.

1 case of medium weight imported black cotton Half Hose, Hemsdorf dye, and imported to sell at 25c. Our price 15c. a pair, or 6 pairs for 75c.

1 case "Contoocook" Ribbed Wool Hose, extra heavy weight, always retailed at 50c. Price for this sale only 29c.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY AND KNIT UNDERWEAR

Ladies' lined Jersey Vests and Pants. Seconds, good as firsts only 17c. each.
1 case extra quality Egyptian Vests and Pants, fleece lined, best value ever offered in this city at 25c.
3 cases "Harvard Mill" Jersey Vests and Pants, winter weight, the best value in this country at 50c. each.
Misses—1 case Harvard Jersey Vests and pants, worth 50c., while they last at 29c. each.

HOSIERY—LADIES.

2 cases Grey Wool Hose, seamless feet, good quality at 19c. pair.
1 case Hemsdorf black fleeced Hose at 19c. pair.

MISSES.

1 case all wool Hose, merino soles, size 6 to 8½ at 17c. pair.
Infants, extra quality black Cashmere Hose sizes 4 to 5½ at 19c. pair.

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The Sun is the only evening penny paper in Lowell printing Telegraphic News.

LATEST RETURNS

Show It Conclusively That Bryan Has Run

CONSIDERABLY BETTER THAN FIRST REPORTED:

Only 220 Electorals Are Conceded to McKinley.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—It is reasonably certain that McKinley and Hobart are elected, but the majority is likely, from indications, to be much narrower than was thought as a result of earlier dispatches.

The following electorals are conceded to McKinley: Connecticut, 6; Illinois, 24; Iowa, 13; Maine, 6; Maryland, 8; Massachusetts, 15; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 9; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 10; New York, 36; Ohio, 23; Pennsylvania, 32; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 4; Wisconsin, 12; total 220.

The following are conceded to Bryan: Alabama, 12; Arkansas, 8; Colorado, 4; Florida, 4; Georgia, 13; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 8; Mississippi, 9; Missouri, 17; Montana, 3; Nevada, 3; South Carolina, 9; Tennessee, 12; Texas, 15; Utah, 3; Virginia, 12. Total, 135. Nebraska 8, probably for Bryan.

The situation may be deduced thusly: Certain for McKinley, 220; almost certain, 13; indications, 25; certain for Bryan, 135; probably for Bryan, 23; doubtful, 26.

Bryan is not yet defeated.

Election Notes.

The Knights of Columbus received the returns over a special wire, and they were announced to the members when received. Refreshments were served and whist and billiards were enjoyed.

At the Highland club the progress of the big political game was told to the members as it came in on the wire.

The Y.M.C.A. had quite a crowd at its rooms, and as fast as the results were told to the audience assembled, they were also thrown out upon the sheet on the opposite side of the street.

At Huntington hall several hundred people listened to the returns as they were given out by Chairman Poore of the republican city committee.

Post 185, G. A. R., in the Wyman exchange kept open house, played whist, smoked, enjoyed a collation, received some returns.

At the Yorick and Elks' club rooms there were also gatherings during part of the evenings.

X-Rays

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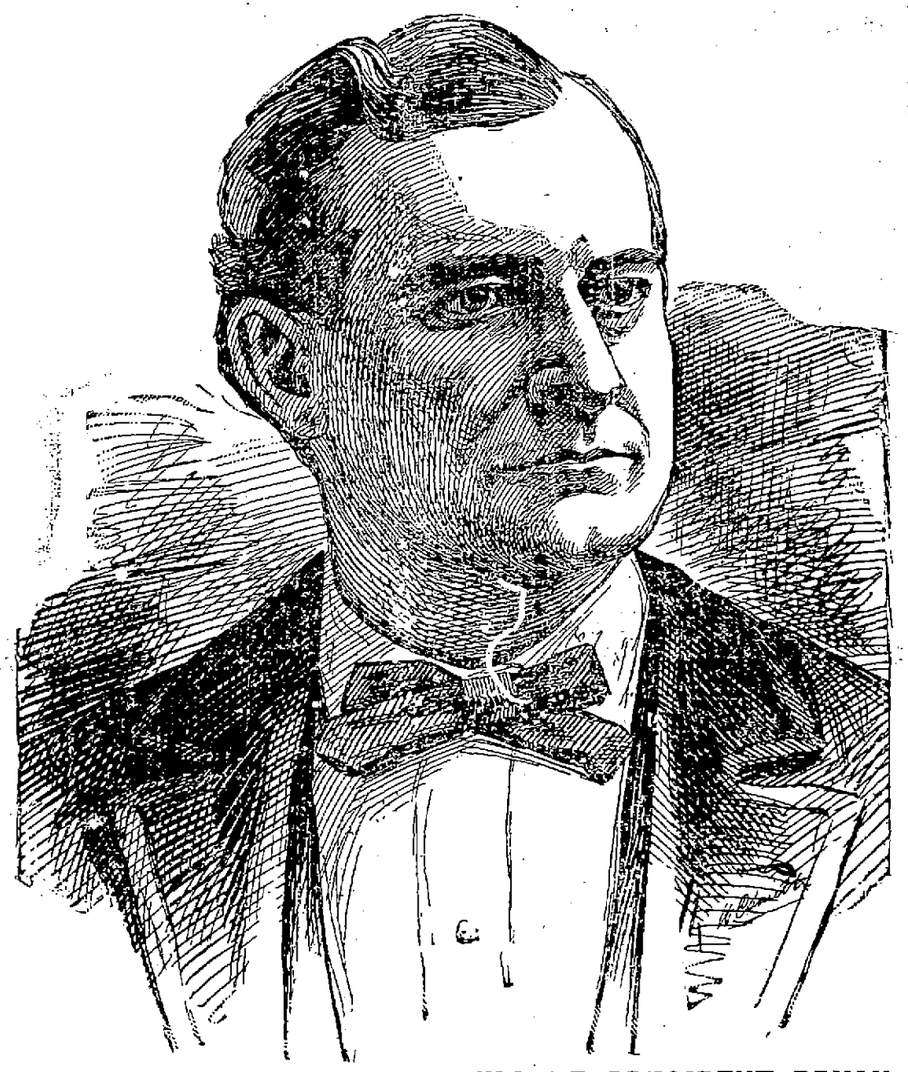
THE SUN LATEST

SIX O'CLOCK

JONES CLAIMS BRYAN WINS

Recent Returns From Doubtful States Change the Situation.

Bryan Carries His Own State and Indiana, and This Sentor Jones Claims Ensures His Election Republicans Aroused.



CHAIRMAN JONES SAYS IT WILL BE PRESIDENT BRYAN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—This afternoon Senator Jones wired Mr. Bryan at Nebraska as follows: "The West is safe. California ours with Oregon Washington. Wyoming and Minnesota. If we win either Minnesota, Michigan or Indiana we certainly will win the election, and the reports are all favorable from these states.

"I regard the contest as by no means ended, as important returns are yet to be received from doubtful states, and I will not under present conditions concede McKinley's election."

Chairman Jones, it is alleged, suspects fraud in the delay of the returns.

BRYAN STANDS FIRM

On His Rights Determined to Have Justice.

LINCOLN, NEB., NOV. 4—Mr. Bryan neither concedes defeat not claims election. He is watching for the first evidence of fraud to denounce the guilty parties.

STILL STRONGER CLAIMS.

LINCOLN, Nov. 4. Bryan's friends claim 217 for him, and hope for Indiana, Michigan, and Minnesota.

NEBRASKA

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 4.—From the returns received from the State, the indications are very strong that Bryan will carry the state by a small majority. The returns from the cities of Omaha and Lincoln, where the McKinley majorities were expected, are practically in, and it is evident that they will not be sufficient to overcome that of the rural districts for Bryan.

MORE HOPEFUL STILL.

Republicans Thoroughly Aroused All Over The Country.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 4.—At 2 p. m. today Jones s[illegible] The indications become stronger that we have carried Indiana. That being so Mr. Bryan is elected. A wave of consternation is now sweeping the republican party all over the country at the news that their claims to having elected McKinley were premature. They are thoroughly aroused.

SUN EXTRA!

The latest news by wire is as follows:—

Bryan carries Kentucky by 10,000.

Tennessee votes for Bryan.

Texas is safe for Bryan.

Democrats say that premature claims on McKinley mean fraud.

New York Journal claims discovery of huge republican scheme to defraud Bryan of the presidency.

In Indiana it is said to be against the law to give out vote until entire vote of the state is counted. This has not been done. It looks safe for Bryan, and if he gets Indiana he will be elected president.

THE VOTE CAST IN LOWELL

Showing the Efficacy of the Recent Gerrymander.

It Also Shows the Effect of the Big Political Cyclone that Has Brought Ruin to Democratic Prospects Hereabouts—The Returns Tell the Tale.

Here's why we weep:

McKinley's total vote in Lowell	7870
Bryan's total vote in Lowell	4336
McKinley's plurality	3534
Wolcott's total vote in Lowell	7360
Williams' total vote in Lowell	4549
Wolcott's plurality	2821
Knox's total vote in Lowell	7398
Harrington's total vote in Lowell	5230
Knox's Plurality	2168

Senators elected—George E. Putnam, republican, and William H. Brigham, republican.

Representatives elected in the 26th district—Richard Dobbins, Joseph E. Pattee and Edward T. Rowell, republicans. In the 25th district, W. H. L. Hayes, James Ramsay and William A. Lang, all republicans; and in the 27th district, though the country towns are not all in, the probabilities are Charles E. Hosmer and Edward A. Stevens, also republicans.

The crowd that gathered in front of The Sun building last evening resembled one of the dense crowds that listened to Mr. Bryan during the campaign. It was a vast sea of seething, howling, yelling, clapping, clattering humanity.

The returns cast upon the canvas over The Sun building were eagerly sought, and whenever good news for either side was put out, a terrific cheer went up and was repeated again and again with a "tiger" accompaniment.

The Courier's megaphone, by which the returns were announced, could not be heard in the cheers of the multitude.

The waiting crowds became impatient watching for the returns, but it should be remembered that the polls did not close in the western states until 6 or 7 o'clock with us. In California the polls closed at 5 o'clock, but that corresponds to 9 o'clock Lowell.

The first reports from the west were received very slowly as might be expected and almost before there was time to count the presidential vote in any state, the news was flashed over the wire that McKinley was elected. Before the polls were closed in some states, the republican leaders were out with claims that McKinley had carried most of the doubtful states.

The democrats remained "unterrified" and cheered the returns until the lateness of the hour and then the to them, unsatisfactory character of the reports led them to turn homeward downcast and discouraged. They felt that their champion had lost the fight, despite the gallant character of his campaign. He may be defeated but he will remain the people's idol and if he lives he will yet be president.

The first returns were almost entirely false and the democrats on reading them exclaimed, "Who owns the telegraph companies?" "They can send out false reports but they cannot elect a president."

The New York Sun true to its splenetic instincts was the first to claim McKinley's election, the first to pronounce Bryan defeated. The N. Y. World came next and after them in quick succession the N. Y. Herald, the Boston Journal and all the organs of the gold standard denomination.

The waiting anxious crowds remained in the square until 12 o'clock, thousands of them even later and yet they went home in utter uncertainty as to who was elected president.

But the cumulative returns in McKinley's favor soon convinced the most sceptical that McKinley swept the country with a mighty sweep and that Bryan sustained an overwhelming defeat.

However, every good citizen bows to [illegible] and none can utter a word of dissent at the fiat of the sovereign people.

We have been promised that if McKinley were elected the mills would start up again, all the evils of the gold standard will disappear, wages will go up with leaps and bounds and there will be no more idleness, no more shut downs or cut downs, prosperity will return to remain while McKinley guides the ship of state, and now we look to see a speedy realization of these bright prognostications of better days to come.

Below will be found the result of the contests in which there was any interest. The votes of the gold democrats, the various Williams tickets, the populist and prohibition parties are presented in order that their strength may be shown.

The leading returns for this city are subjoined.

WARD ONE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	113	119	133	365
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	2	7	0	9
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	0	1	1
McKinley and Hobart, r	347	347	192	886
Palmer and Buckner, d n	3	10	3	16
Blanks	26		0	26
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	3	0	6
F. O. Prince, d n	15	8	5	28
Geo F. Williams, d	79	127	130	336
Geo. F. Williams, pop	22	2	1	25
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	4	10	7	21
Roger Wolcott, r	312	317	184	813
Blanks	51	52	42	145
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	117	139	139	395
W. Murray Crane, r	307	311	178	796
James McConnell, d n	3	5	3	11
Blanks	61	62	49	172
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	122	146	139	407
George E. Putnam, r	296	319	188	803
Blanks	71	69	45	185
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	274	279	147	700
John G. Gordon, d	119	154	148	421
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	158	159	109	426
Joseph E. Pattee, r	244	258	152	754
Edward T. Rowell, r	277	285	146	708
Rollin W. Stickney, d	149	185	173	487
Blanks	235	236	185	656
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	302	301	179	782
George A. Perkins, d	131	159	155	445
Blanks	59	63	36	158
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	110	156	152	427
William S. Knox, r	323	312	187	822
Blanks	50	65	31	146

WARD TWO.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	156	244	297	697
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	3	2	3	8
Bryan and Watson, pop	7	2	3	12
McKinley and Hobart r	209	73	85	358
Palmer and Buckner, d n	4	6	10	20
Blanks	50			
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	2	0	1	3
F. O. Prince, d n	12	8	8	28
Geo. F. Williams, d	147	272	285	704
Geo. F. Williams, pop	12	0	41	53
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	13	0	3	16
Roger Wolcott, r	193	85	73	321
Blanks	49	78	74	201
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	172	283	309	764
W. Murray Crane, r	164	33	63	260
Jas. McConnell, d n	4	9	11	24
Blanks	71	81	90	242
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	191	309	334	834
George E. Putnam, r	172	62	79	313
Blanks	58	67	53	178
Representatives 26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	160	44	64	268
John G. Gordon, d	192	304	342	838
Mathew M. Mansfield	218	324	349	891
Joseph E. Pattee, r	160	40	63	266
Edward T. Rowell, r	141	47	78	266
Rollin W. Stickney, d	175	294	327	791
Blanks	192	228	203	623
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	174	54	67	295
George A. Perkins, d	196	319	336	851
Blanks	51	56	74	180
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	203	320	338	861
William S. Knox, r	181	65	77	323
Blanks	37	43	61	

WARD THREE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	152	61	36	249
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	8	3	2	13
Bryan and Watson, pop	0	3	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	209	522	489	1217
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	0	5	10	21
Blanks	0	15	18	33
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	2	3	8
F. O. Prince, d. n	8	6	13	27
Geo. F. Williams, d	154	62	7	223
Geo. F. Williams, pop	13	0	7	20
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	17	3	19	39
Roger Wolcott, r	188	426	485	1161
Blanks	52	50	31	133
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	181	68	42	289
W. Murray Crane, r	177	485	465	1127
Jas. McConnell, d. n	8	10	3	21
Blanks	67	57	36	160
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	194	75	38	308
George E. Putnam, r	198	481	462	1141
Blanks	45	65	56	166
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	163	443	427	1038
John G. Gordon, d	191	96	59	349
Matthew M. Mansfield, d	227	126	58	411
Joseph E. Pattee, r	153	436	411	1000
Edward T. Rowell, r	154	429	435	1038
Rollin W. Stickney, d	103	110	71	374
Blanks	223	236	217	676
County Commissioners.				
Levi S. Gould, r	178	447	457	1082
George A. Perkins, d	203	95	53	351
Blanks	58	49	46	151
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	201	83	61	345
William S. Knox, r	105	494	462	1161
Blanks	41	45	33	119

WARD FOUR.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	178	231	341	748
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	6	5	18	25
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	2	5
McKinley and Hobart, r	224	154	150	528
Palmer and Buckner, d n	5	2	5	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	0	0	2	2
F. O. Prince, d n	10	6	18	34
Geo. F. Williams, d	175	230	343	748
Geo. F. Williams, pop	8	3	7	16
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	21	36	45	102
Roger Wolcott, r	217	136	117	470
Blanks	37	55	57	149
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	205	268	402	875
W. Murray Crane, r	200	154	100	440
J. McConnell, d n	8	8	21	37
Blanks	56	68	64	188
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	202	291	427	920
George E. Putnam, r	224	141	114	479
Blanks	45	36	54	135
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	192	270	398	859
John F. Conroy, d	191	263	435	889
Wm. H. L. Hayes, r	100	118	91	309
Wm. A. Lang, r	199	110	87	397
James P. Ramsay, r	212	131	142	485
Chas. W. Whitman, d	190	283	391	873
Blanks	240	209	261	710
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	210	128	107	445
George A. Perkins, d	211	290	439	940
Blanks	56	50	43	149
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	210	283	435	942
Wm. S. Knox, r	214	141	122	477
Blanks	38	38	38	114

WARD FIVE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall d	292	277	224	793
Bryan and Sewall d Bryan	23	5	3	30
Bryan and Watson pop	1	0	2	3
McKinley and Hobart r	185	169	125	479
Palmer and Buckner d n	2	7	2	11
Governor.				
Allen Coffin pro	3	0	0	3
F. O. Prince d n	10	11	10	31
Geo. F. Williams d	191	260	219	670
Geo. F. Williams pop	22	8	0	30
Geo. F. Williams d Bryan	5	38	21	64
Roger Wolcott r	155	150	111	426
Blanks	57	55	56	181
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan d	218	298	249	765
W. Murray Crane r	156	136	93	385
Jas. McConnell d n	9	15	7	31
Blanks	71	81	84	236
Senator.				
William H. Brigham r	157	136	97	390
Alvan Fisher d	232	333	270	835
Blanks	68	83	64	209
Representatives—27th.				
Michael J. Coughlin d	229	319	272	820
Joseph F. Donohue d	274	350	286	910
Chas. E. Hosmer r	148	126	88	362
Edward A. Stevens r	122	119	80	322
Blanks	130	136	140	416
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould r	160	140	106	406
George A. Perkins d	228	327	277	832
Blanks	89	65	53	207
Congressmen.				
John H. Harrington d	232	318	281	832
William S. Knox r	185	161	113	455
Blanks	39	47	42	128

WARD SIX.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	78	170	175	423
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	5	4	10
Bryan and Watson, pop	3	1	0	4
McKinley and Hobart, r	520	269	208	997
Palmer and Buckner, d n	6	4	2	12
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	1	1	7
F. O. Prince, d n	4	5	10	20
Geo. F. Williams, d	52	173	164	389
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	4	1	6
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	25	28	19	72
Roger Wolcott, r	503	242	183	928
Blanks	32	52	72	156
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	74	197	183	454
W. Murray Crane, r	498	236	173	907
Jas. McConnell, d n	6	6	3	15
Blanks	40	58	87	185
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	74	203	201	479
George E. Putnam, r	508	241	194	943
Blanks	48	65	55	163
Representatives—26th.				
Richard Dobbins, r	441	201	156	798
John G. Gordon, d	87	203	202	492
Mathew M. Mansfield, d	98	211	211	520
Joseph E. Pattee, r	428	191	148	767
Edward T. Rowell, r	498	227	169	894
Rollin W. Stickney, d	123	220	221	564
Blanks	238	274	246	758
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	490	243	214	947
George A. Perkins, d	95	217	169	481
Blanks	40	49	68	157
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	91	230	218	542
William S. Knox, r	507	241	189	937
Blanks	24	38	44	106

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	121	169	84	366
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	1	0	1	2
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	2	3	6
McKinley and Hobart, r	350	427	289	1066
Palmer and Buckner, d n	12	9	4	25
Blanks	51	31	0	82
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	5	5	3	13
F. O. Prince, d n	11	15	6	32
Geo. F. Williams, d	110	153	82	365
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	0	0	3
Geo. F. Williams, pop	11	0	4	15
Roger Wolcott, r	318	400	283	1001
Blanks	62	46	40	148
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	147	181	95	423
W. Murray Crane, r	300	367	231	898
Jas. McConnell, d n	8	9	6	23
Blanks	57	48	40	145
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	153	191	98	442
George E. Putnam, r	316	387	286	989
Blanks	48	53	40	141
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	153	211	104	468
John F. Conroy, d	159	188	104	451
Wm. H. L. Hayes, r	321	356	274	951
William A. Lang, r	284	309	209	802
James P. Ramsay, r	260	329	215	804
Chas. W. Whitman, d	156	223	125	504
Blanks	195	226	197	618
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	301	372	223	896
George A. Perkins, d	170	208	159	536
Blanks	46	51	41	138
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	177	191	118	486
William S. Knox, r	300	397	269	966
Blanks	34	43	37	114

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	41	43	123	207
Bryan and Sewall, d Bryan	23	0	2	27
Bryan and Watson, pop	2	1	0	3
McKinley and Hobart, r	449	536	321	1306
Palmer and Buckner, d n	9	5	10	24
Blanks		40	36	
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	4	7	6	17
F. O. Prince, d n	10	8	7	25
Geo. F. Williams, d	28	32	130	190
Geo. F. Williams, pop	3	4	3	10
Geo. F. Williams, d Bryan	8	9	12	29
Roger Wolcott, r	430	516	352	1298
Blanks	40	29	44	120
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	45	47	134	226
W. Murray Crane, r	433	512	159	1104
Jas. McConnell, d n	7	7	2	16
Blanks		41	53	
Senator.				
Edward D. McVey, d	53	54	142	249
George E. Putnam, r	430	524	358	1312
Blanks	42	38	54	
Representative—25th.				
George O. Byam, d	86	78	151	315
John F. Conroy, d	53	55	132	240
Wm. H. L. Hayes, r	400	476	323	1199
Wm. A. Lang, r	400	434	307	1141
James P. Ramsay, r	344	416	257	1017
Chas. W. Whitman, d	110	122	195	426
Blanks	187	215	299	701
County Commissioner.				
Levi S. Gould, r	422	506	332	1260
George A. Perkins, d	73	83	179	335
Blanks	31	42	44	117
Congressman.				
John H. Harrington, d	61	64	154	279
Wm. S. Knox, r	428	519	363	1310
Blanks	36	33	38	107

WARD NINE.

Precinct	1	2	3	Total
President.				
Bryan and Sewall, d	93	63	187	343
Bryan and Sewall, d. Bryan	5	33	8	46
Bryan and Watson, pop	1	0	1	2
McKinley and Hobart, r	225	308	354	887
Palmer and Buckner, d. n.	12	11	4	27
Blanks	2	53	0	61
Governor.				
Allen Coffin, pro	3	1	2	6
F. O. Prince, d. n	13	13	14	40
Geo. F. Williams, d	78	108	171	357
Geo. F. Williams, pop	1	3	0	4
Geo. F. Williams, d. Bryan	26	5	26	57
Roger Wolcott, r	314	301	325	940
Blanks	35	31	55	121
Lieut. Governor.				
Chris. T. Callahan, d	123	120	210	453
W. Murray Crane, r	286	287	318	933
Jas. McConnell, d. n	7	11	15	33
Blanks	41	35	61	137
Senator.				
Wm. H. Brigham, r	299	282	272	853
Alvan Fisher, d	141	155	229	525
Blanks	36	27	58	121

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*§7 27	8 12	*9 00	§9 38
§7 33	8 50	9 15	§10 25
*7 45	8 35	10 00	11 15
*8 50	9 49	10 45	11 55
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9 40	10 49	12 00	§12 56
11 00	12 04	*1 00	§1 28
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3 00	4 12	4 15	§5 32
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5 35	6 55	6 15	7 34
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§6 68	7 00	8 00	§4 38
		9 00	10 05

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2 30	3 41	4 25	5 45
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Congressman Fitzgerald "Squoze" in again but will be lonely as heretofore.

Whew! ! ! It was a McKinley sweep, no doubt, now all the gold bugs in the country rejoice.

The masses are not sufficiently educated on the money question. It may take four years or more but they must come to free silver if this republic is destined to live and prosper.

Alas, alack Mr. Bryan you fought the good fight but your efforts were not appreciated. The people want longer talks than you can give from the rear platform of a car. They want to attend a financial school for a while, but they will get sufficient schooling in this question during the next four years.

Some cruel republican sends the following note to the Sun:

Mr. Editor—Please say whether you will have those bonfires that you said you were to have after election.

REPUBLICAN.

We lighted a fire this morning but it was not a bonfire and the attendance was neither large nor boisterous. One hod of coal was sufficient.

That is the only kind of fire we intend to light for some time.

"HAVE CONFIDENCE."

Confidence, gentlemen, confidence. Let everybody have confidence. The corporations are confident that McKinley will recoup them by bounties. Mark Hanna is confident that he will have things his own way. There will probably be a confidence bureau opened in the capitol from which the precious stuff will be dispensed. Tom Reed will, as usual, figure in the confidence game, and Mr. Hobart will put up the price of coal just to inspire confidence. Confidence, gentlemen. Don't mind whether you work or not. Have confidence; you're all right if you only have confidence.

FREE SILVER BEATEN.

Yesterday was a day of great anxiety for the candidates. The friends of free silver who have worked so hard during the campaign were greatly disappointed as the returns began to come in to find that the cause for which they were willing to sacrifice so much, received a temporary setback. The pivotal states were closely watched, and as the intelligence from Cook county indicated a majority for McKinley, every succeeding hour brought despatches that raised the hearts of the republicans, and depressed the democrats. The fondest hopes of electing Mr. Bryan were overcome by the power of money, the influence of the gold bugs, the threats and intimidation of large corporations such as railroads and other similar bodies throughout the country. When from forty thousand to one hundred thousand dollars was offered for the electoral vote of democratic or doubtful states, it is easy to see how Mr. Bryan was defeated. The want of funds for legitimate campaign expenses greatly hampered the democratic party throughout the country, and left the weight of the campaign to be borne mainly by Bryan himself. He did all that was possible for man to do, more perhaps than any other living man could do, but it was impossible with such slight assistance to overcome the enemy.

There is no doubt that free silver is bound to come, and we should not be surprised to see the republican party, including Mr. McKinley come out squarely for free silver before the close of the next presidential term.

One thing is certain that McKinley is a firm believer in free silver, and if a bill providing for free coinage be brought before him, we believe that he would not veto it. But of course that depends upon the wishes of Mr. Hanna, even more than the convictions of Mr. McKinley.

A QUEER TOAD HEAVEN

RELIGIOUS SECT IN OHIO WITH STRANGE CEREMONIES.

The Ancient Rite of Foot Laving Practiced There—What a Correspondent Witnessed on a Recent Visit to the Out of the Way Place.

The hamlet of Toad Heaven is away from the beaten path of commerce, in the extreme northwestern part of Jackson county in Ohio. Strangers seldom visit the place, and the members of Toad Heaven community are ignorant of the outer world.

The name of Toad Heaven applies to the hamlet, the community and to the unsightly log church where this singular religious sect worships. The dwellers of this strange community are ignorant and superstitious. They came originally from Virginia, where they were prominent among the uneducated natives known as poor white trash.

One who visited Toad Heaven recently says the religious ceremonies in vogue in the community are grotesque and highly sensational. Their "Amens" and "Praise the Lords" are loud enough to shake the hills, and every month a foot washing ceremony, called a "sacrament," is performed as one of the church rites, corresponding to the communion in civilized churches.

Upon a recent Sunday every member of the community present in the unsightly log church sat with bare feet, awaiting a signal from a leader to commence a ceremony much needed by many feet, which were being rubbed together under the seats. The men and women were armed with a towel, worn like a sash, and tin basin, which does secular duty at home.

If a man's memory happened to be good, he would be able to remember a rather disjointed sermon delivered by an old man, who said in part: "I hain't prepared no discourse. The Lord says to his sarvants, 'Git up and deliver yo'self, an at the same hour I'll fill yo' mouth with ut-t'rance.' I hain't got no larnin and never went to school, but I know I am a chosen servant to pint the way to sinners. Some men who have larnin ain't Christians, an, if they don't reform, everlastin hell will be their sheer of the Lord's gifts. This foot washin of our'n ain't for the purpose of cleanin dirt from our feet, but it's a sacrymint handed down to his faithful followyers, who washed his disipules' feet and dried them with a towel at the Last Supper."

The orator, encouraged by a chorus of amens, further declared that while he was not "one o' yer polished, high toned, stuck up preachers with fine clothes an standin collars an sinful souls," he was "able to preach truths as the Lord puts 'em in my mouth." Then he preached on the text, "Where art thou?" He never found out, nor did his listeners know where he was, but his agony was superb. In his rambling talk he became frenzied.

The ceremonies of the foot washing followed the sermon. In one corner of the church was a barrel of rainwater, filled from the roof by a tin pipe let in through a window. To it each woman went and filled her basin. Then each man commenced singing a hymn, and each woman, choosing not her husband, but any brother she wished, laved his feet, one at a time, in the basin. Then she unwound the towel from her waist and wiped each foot dry. Then came the opportunity of the women to have their feet bathed by their brethren. The men went at it brusquely.

Each woman sat and sang.

After it all the members of the Toad Heaven sect sang a hymn and sought their miserable log cabin homes in the hills round about.—Chicago Tribune.

A POLITICIAN TESTED.

A Congressman Who Could Not Play Checkers to Suit Constituents.

"One of the ablest men in congress will lose a number of votes in his district in Georgia," said a department clerk to a Star reporter.

"A friend of mine wrote me some time ago that the judge was safe so far as his re-election was concerned, but my friend visited one of the back counties a few days ago and found that a decided change in sentiment had come about. He asked one of the political leaders:

"'What is the matter with the judge?'

"'He ain't no good.'

"'Why, what did he ever vote for that you are not in favor of?'

"'I dunno.'

"'Did he vote against anything you wanted passed?'

"'Not as I knows on.'

"'The newspapers all speak well of him.'

"'Newspapers is allus lyin.'

"'What is the matter?'

"'Waal,' he comed out here, an Tom Wilkins beat 'im playin checkers. Tom kain't play a little bit, an what kin o' a figger kin a man cut in congress who kain't play checkers better'n thet?'"—Washington Star.

The Hose Was Like a Thing of Life.

A test was made the other afternoon at the parliament buildings by Chief Engineer Wickens of the fire apparatus with which the building is supplied. A hose was run from the basement out to the lawn at the north side, and with 100 pounds of pressure a stream was thrown from a 1¼ inch nozzle to the roof. An amusing incident occurred when the test was being made. The 160 pounds of pressure proved too much for the two men who were directing the hose, and the nozzle took on that swaying motion which is due to the great pressure of water forward. The men hung on manfully, while the group of spectators jumped behind them, revolving as they revolved with the nozzle. Soon, however, they began whirling so quickly that it was impossible to keep behind them, and a wild rush for shelter took place among the spectators. One of the men holding the hose rolled over on his back, and the other dropped the hose and jumped out of harm's way, while the hose, victorious, tossed its brass nozzle hither and thither, spouting a heavy stream of water in every direction.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Does This Mean an Ocean Transit Trust?

Mr. Ismay, chairman of the White Star line of steamers, gave a dinner in London recently at the Reform club to the chairmen and managers of the Atlantic steamship lines. Messrs. Griscom, Edmund Taylor and Wilding represented the American line. The meeting discussed various trade questions.—New York World.

Jamaica Shuts Out Our Cattle.

The Jamaican authorities, on the strength of a report from an expert on cattle diseases, has issued an order prohibiting the importation until further notice of cattle and animals from the United States, Central and South America, the Leeward Islands, South Africa and Australia.

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THE NEW YORK ELECTIONS

HOW THE DAY IS CELEBRATED IN THE METROPOLIS.

Picturesque Holiday Sights of a Great City. To a Large Class of People This Is the One Great Day of the Year—The Floating Vote at the Polls.

Mr. Ernest Ingersoll has written for The Century a paper on "Election Day In New York." Mr. Ingersoll, after speaking of those who take advantage of the holiday to flock out of town, says:

Another class rejoice in this holiday as an opportunity to sit at home enjoying domestic comfort, reading in slippered ease the postponed book or fondling the pet hobby. The "people" call them "silk stockings," and have no fear of their beautifully modulated expressions of censure, because they rarely back it up by a vote.

Down at the polls they cannot understand this frame of mind. A certain number of citizens, to be sure, come, deposit their votes as quickly as possible and go away with an attitude of having performed a disagreeable duty. But to the many who are more or less visible there all day this is the most important occasion of the year, and there is hardly anything they would not rather do than miss it. To be sure, it may be worth a few dollars to them, directly or indirectly, but plainly they look further than this and have a hazy sense of the dignity of the act, comparable to the fetich worshiper's notion of religion. They are not ignorant, foreign, dollar a day laborers, stupid and besotted with liquor, but men earning wages enough to enable them to pay their footing in the barroom club, and having sufficient brains to make them serviceable to their "captain." Alert with the keenness of the street, knowing everybody, and feeling above none, they are wholly devoted to "the cause" as long as they get fair treatment.

It is these men who make the voting places picturesque. In rough garb and with lordly swagger they sandwich themselves between neat and dignified lawyers, merchants and clergymen, proudly sensible of their equality at the polls. Sometimes the motley line reaches out of doors and down the street. As soon as one has voted he joins the loiterers outside and pompously lights a cigar, scornful of the black pipe more familiar to his teeth.

In the afternoon the brisk captain, who has been dodging all day from poll to poll, obtains an approximate list of those of his side who have not yet voted, and dispatches workers to "bring them out." They search their haunts, and presently return with recruits. Some of these delinquents have simply been tardy, others are sick or lame or blind, and are gently conducted to the polls, perhaps in a carriage, placed in the line, and carefully assisted to the ballot box. The attention he gets on election day is a genuine comfort to many a poor devil kicked about all the rest of the year. Now and then a henchman seizes a captain and whispers portentously in his ear. A moment later he hurries off, looking very important, and soon reappears with a companion, who is sent on alone, while he himself stays back at the corner. This means that some voter has been ascertained to be out of town or sick abed, and that a willing and thrifty stranger has come to vote (illegally) in his name. This is only one of many tricks election officers and watchers must guard against toward the end of the day, and sometimes at a cost to the latter of no small courage, for whisky emboldens the roughest workers to try to "stand on his head" any one who interferes with them.

The day wears on—Sunday without the churches, a gray day in every sense of the word. In the lower wards, where folks are close enough together to feel one another's warmth and where it really matters whether Mike O'Farron or Barney Cadigan is to be alderman or coroner, each crossroads has an excited crowd, but up town the side streets are deserted, and even Broadway and Fifth avenue are dead.

The first to break the silence are the boys crying the afternoon papers, but there is nothing in them except clever guesswork, unless the tension factions at some polling place or the wild foolishness of a tipsy worker has brought on a fight or two. Election day rows are now remarkably rare in New York.

Loiterers increase about the polling places, and voters crowd forward, fearful lest they be too late. The weary inspectors and clerks must now work harder than ever, and the watchers watch their very best. This is the time when the schemer gathers results—gets in his fine work, as he would tell you. Men present themselves with specious claims, politicians bulldoze, and it is only the most determined guardian of the purity of the ballot who in this last hour can withstand the pressure. It happened in several districts in 1894, when the voter was called upon to fold and select from 28 ballots, that there was not time enough in the day for all those entitled to the franchise to reach the ballot box, and voting twice in one place was out of the question.

America's Need of Cavalry.

Discussing the possibilities of a war with England and the strength of the United States militia or national guard, some of our newspapers lately boasted that an army of 100,000 men could be thrown into Canada within a few weeks. How many of these men would be mounted on horseback? It is a very pertinent inquiry, for it requires from three to six months' training to make a cavalryman, and some of the states which furnish large contingents to the national guard have not a single troop of horse. If there is any lesson that the failure of the Confederacy can teach us, it is this: That an invasion of Canada—and I do not mean that such a thing is in the least probable or desirable—made without sufficient cavalry would be as barren of permanent results as it would be if made with an army of crossbowmen.—"Why the Confederacy Failed," by Duncan Rose, in November Century.

Paid For In Rabbits.

Asbury Pollitt, a farmer living in the eastern part of Mason county, Ky., started for Maysville on the family nag. On the way he met Bud Siley, a hunter. In the course of conversation Pollitt told Siley he wanted to sell his horse. Thereupon Siley offered Pollitt one dozen and a half rabbits which he had killed that morning. Pollitt accepted the offer. This is the lowest price on record for a Kentucky horse.

Watches For Police Bonds.

Watches are accepted as security for fines by the police courts of Knoxville, and 40 unredeemed ones, held for two years, are to be sold at auction by the city.

Wise Weyler.

Weyler was wise anyway. No one will deny that the best thing to do is to conquer Cuba before tackling the United States.—Chicago Post.

Made In Germany.

"Yes," continued the manager of the wild west show modestly, "that is quite a warwhoop. Our solo Indians were all educated in Germany, you know?"—Detroit Tribune.

SUNBEAMS.

Two Freaks, Perhaps.

This is not the famous two headed museum freak, but the Whizzer sisters on a tandem.—Wheel.

How it Failed.

"And you four brothers were named Edmund, Edgar, Edward and Edwin, were you? What could have been your parents object in that?"

"They wanted to keep us from ever being nicknamed."

"Did it have that effect?"

"Not exactly. We've always been called Chuck, Snorkey, Flipps and Pilgarlic."—Chicago Tribune.

From a Dime Novel.

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Aha!

Over the brink they go, crashing on to rock and crag, until their crushed and crumbled corpses land with two distinct sull and thickening duds at the bottom of the precipitate precipice, 48,000 feet below.

There they continued the struggle.—New York Sunday World.

No Exceptions to This Rule.

It was a fidgety, funny, middle aged woman who stepped to the window of the Central railroad ticket office at 10:30 the other morning and inquired the time the next train left for Rome. "The next train leaves at 10:59," courteously responded Assistant Ticket Agent Hennessy. "Has it gone yet?" queried the woman. "No," quietly answered Mr. Hennessy. "The next train has never gone."—Utica Observer.

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MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

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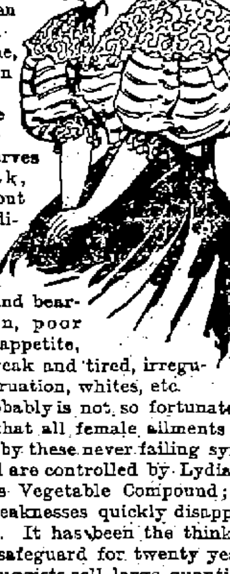

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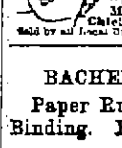

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For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.

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*Express. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence, 6.50, 10.00 a. m; 4.15 p. m.

For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.53 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.13 a. m.; 1.00, 3.43, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.13, 9.40, 10.00 a. m.; 12.09, 1.00, 1.40, 3.43, 5.40, 6.17, 8.13, 8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3.08 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.40 p.m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.40 a. m; 12.09, 1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, †8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.40 a.m; 1.40, †8.40 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.40 a. m.; 12.09, †8.13 p. m.

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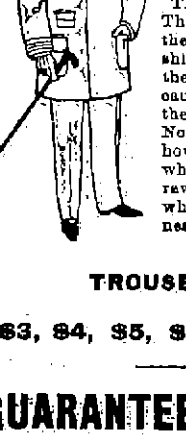

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for probate, by William A. Hogan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Daily Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

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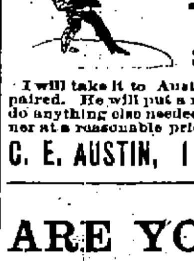

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AS YET UNDECIDED

Nebraska is Still Involved in Doubt.

CLOSE CONTESTS IN THE FAR WEST.

Electoral Vote and Complexion of Congress.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Chairman Post of the Republican state committee claims the state for McKinley by a majority of from 7000 to 8000. "We have," he says, "received very scattering returns, and it is impossible to give anything like accurate figures." McKinley's majority in Lincoln is 1018. The city has generally been Republican by a considerably larger vote.

While Chairman Post is still publicly claiming the state for McKinley, attaches of his headquarters say that he really regards the state as doubtful, and possibly as lost. Returns so far received are so meagre as to render it impossible to give a very intelligent opinion, but so far as they go, they indicate sufficient to give the state to Bryan by about 6000, if maintained, the majority will certainly be very small either way. Chairman Manahan of the Lancaster county Democratic committee predicts 20,000 Democratic majority, and says he is supported in this claim by the fusion state chairman. He says the Lincoln majority is a loss to the Republicans of 1800, and that the full returns from the county precincts outside the city will reduce McKinley's majority to about 300. Manahan expresses the belief that the fusionists will elect six congressmen from Nebraska. He asserts that Bradley is certainly elected from this, the First, district.

Omaha, Nov. 4.—Returns from Nebraska precincts are still very meagre, but indicate that McKinley has carried Nebraska. Eighty-seven precincts in Nebraska, outside of Omaha, give McKinley 10,476, Bryan 9030.

MINNESOTA'S LANDSLIDE.

Lind May Come Out Safely From the Republican Avalanche.

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—Every county so far reporting gives a big McKinley majority. The only man on the Democratic state ticket who has a chance of election is Lind, for whom the Scandinavians have voted very extensively. Lind, however, seems to be buried under the McKinley avalanche. It is a clean Republican sweep on congressmen, except the Seventh district.

COLORADO FOR BRYAN.

Plurality of the Silver Candidates May Reach 100,000.

Denver, Nov. 4.—The vote is reported to be about the same as two years ago (190,000). There is no question of the election of the Bryan and Sewall electors by over 100,000 plurality. State chairman of the Silver Republicans claims the election of Adams, Democratic-Silver-Republican candidate for governor, by 140,000 plurality.

IN DOUBTFUL COLUMN.

Both Sides Claim a Majority of Votes In Oregon.

Portland, Or., Nov. 4.—Chairman Hirsch of the Republican committee says McKinley may carry this city by 5000 and the state by 6000 to 10,000. The fusionists concede McKinley 2500 in this city, but claim the Bryan majority in the state will wipe this out and leave Bryan's majority 5000.

VOTE IS CLOSE.

Result In Washington Uncertain, With Fusionists Claiming Everything.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 4.—The vote is very heavy. Indications point to Republican gains, but the vote will be close. Republicans expect to elect at least one of the two congressmen. The fusionists continue to claim everything by large majorities, while the Republican state headquarters are confident of a small plurality.

SLOW COUNTING.

Result In Utah Uncertain, but It Favors Bryan.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4.—It will be late tonight before the count can be completed. Indications are now that Bryan has carried the state by at least 10,000 majority. The legislature, which will elect a United States senator, is still claimed by both parties.

M'KINLEY OR BRYAN?

Chances Are About Even For Either Carrying the Lone Star State.

Dallas, Nov. 4.—Reports from 60 chairmen indicate McKinley has carried Texas.

Slow Counting In Missouri.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—It is doubtful if the complete returns for St. Louis will be received before tonight. Only 68 out of 426 precincts have been returned, and five out of 28 wards in the city have not been heard from at all. The returns from the state outside the city of St. Louis are even more meagre and incomplete.

Republicans Concede Montana.

Helena, Mon., Nov. 4.—Chairman Herschfeld of the Republican state executive committee conceded the state to the fusion ticket. The Republicans may elect a few county officers in wool growing districts. The legislature will be Democratic without doubt.

Clean Sweep For Democrats.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Returns are coming in slowly, but indications are that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, electing the entire congressional delegation, and that Bryan has carried the state by not less than 30,000 majority.

Confusion In Kansas.

Topeka, Nov. 4.—As there are 10 tickets in Kansas, in some places the count under the Australian ballot system is very slow. Estimates by Republican state chairman indicate that the state will go safely for McKinley. He will not give out figures.

"Fraud and Violence."

Atlanta, Nov. 4.—A. E. Buck, chairman of the Republican state central committee of Georgia, says: "Fraud and violence prevail in portions of the state. The returns are slowly coming in. The Democratic majority in Georgia is largely reduced. It may not exceed 10,000.

The Golden State.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The Republican state committee say their reports show gains for Republican ticket, and claim this state by a decided majority. The vote from Democratic districts in this city, so far as counted, show Republican gains.

Wisconsin For McKinley.

Milwaukee, Nov. 4.—National Committeeman E. C. Wall and State Central Committeeman Peck of the Democratic party concede that Wisconsin will go Republican between 50,000 and 75,000.

From Idaho.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Senator Fred T. Dubois wires from Blackfoot, Ida., as follows: "Thado will give at least five to one for Bryan.

INTERESTING FIGURES

Showing Electoral Vote and Probable Complexion of Next Congress.

The Electoral Vote.

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Dbt'fl.
Alabama	..	11	..
Arkansas	..	8	..
California	..	9	..
Colorado	..	4	..
Connecticut	6	..	..
Delaware	3	..	..
Florida	..	4	..
Georgia	..	13	..
Idaho	..	3	..
Illinois	24	..	..
Indiana	15	..	..
Iowa	13	..	..
Kansas	10	..	..
Kentucky	13	..	..
Louisiana	..	8	..
Maine	6	..	..
Maryland	8	..	..
Massachusetts	15	..	..
Michigan	14	..	..
Minnesota	9	..	..
Mississippi	..	9	..
Missouri	..	17	..
Montana	..	3	..
Nebraska	8	..	..
Nevada	..	3	..
New Hampshire	4	..	..
New Jersey	10	..	..
New York	36	..	..
North Carolina	..	11	..
North Dakota	..	1	..
Ohio	23	..	..
Oregon	4	..	..
Pennsylvania	32	..	..
Rhode Island	4	..	..
South Carolina	..	9	..
South Dakota	4	..	..
Tennessee	..	12	..
Texas	..	15	..
Utah	..	..	3
Vermont	4	..	..
Virginia	..	12	..
Washington	4	..	..
West Virginia	..	..	6
Wisconsin	12	..	..
Wyoming	..	..	3
	281	151	16

Total electoral votes 447
Necessary to elect 224

The Next Congress.
(Estimated from latest returns.)

	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama	..	9
Arkansas	..	6
California	5	2
Colorado	..	2
Connecticut	4	..
Delaware	1	..
Florida	..	2
Georgia	..	11
Idaho	..	1
Illinois	18	4
Indiana	9	6
Iowa	9	2
Kansas	5	3
Kentucky	7	4
Louisiana	..	6
Maine	4	..
Maryland	6	..
Massachusetts	12	1
Michigan	9	3
Minnesota	6	1
Mississippi	..	6
Missouri	8	7
Montana	..	1
Nebraska	2	4
Nevada	..	1
New Hampshire	2	..
New Jersey	8	..
New York	29	5
North Carolina	..	9
North Dakota	1	..
Ohio	19	2
Oregon	2	..
Pennsylvania	27	3
Rhode Island	2	..
South Carolina	..	7
South Dakota	2	..
Tennessee	4	8
Texas	..	13
Utah	..	1
Vermont	2	..
Virginia	..	10
Washington	2	..
West Virginia	..	4
Wisconsin	10	..
Wyoming	..	1
Arizona	..	1
New Mexico	..	1
Oklahoma	..	1
Totals	213	143

At McKinley's Home.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—At 9 o'clock Major McKinley received a telegram of congratulation from Mr. Hobart, his associate on the national ticket, as follows: "Congratulations with all my heart on the glorious achievement under your magnificent leadership. The manhood of the republic has asserted itself, and the nation's honor and integrity will never again be assailed by the same forces. Mrs. Hobart joins me in congratulations."

Major McKinley, at 10:45 p. m., received the following telephone message from Chairman Hanna from Cleveland: "The feeling here beggars description. The boys at the Union club send love and hearty congratulations. You are elected to the highest office of the land by a people who have always loved and trusted you."

At 1:30 o'clock the din about the McKinley cottage was as deafening as ever. The interior of the house looked as though an army had marched through it, being littered with debris. The crowd had gone, but a few of Major McKinley's close associates remained with him in the dining room, where coffee was served over the late returns.

At 12:30 McKinley received a tremendous ovation from his Canton townspeople. He took a position on top of the porch of his residence, and waved his salutations to the enthusiastic concourse. The midnight was light as day by hundreds of flambeau and blazing fires of red and green. Major McKinley made no address. For an hour the remarkable spectacle proceeded.

Bryan Has Hope.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bryan's immediate friends said that at midnight he did not consider the case as definitely lost, but that, on the contrary, he considered that there was still ground for hope of his success. He had expected that the first returns, being from the large cities, would be against him. He left orders that the principal bulletins be sent to his room and he read them there, manifesting special interest in the reports from Nebraska. Mrs. Bryan did not lose her customary cheerfulness in the face of the adverse reports, and she appeared well prepared for the worst, though evidently not devoid of hope for better fortune than the reports appeared to show. She retired at 10 o'clock, leaving the entertainment of her guests to the friends who had assembled.

No Comparison.

No printing establishment in this city compares with The Sun Job Print in its mechanical equipment and the excellence of its work. Did you ever try it?

It cures from head to foot.
Puritana
The Prize Formula of Prof. Dixi Crosby, M.D., LL.D.
Makes the Stomach Right.

ALTGELD DOWNED

Beneath Avalanche of Votes in Illinois.

RESULT OF BATTLE IN THE MIDDLE WEST

Ends Generally in Favor of McKinley.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The indications are that McKinley and Tanner have carried Illinois by over 100,000. Tanner is running ahead of his ticket, but somewhat behind McKinley. Chairman Hitch of the Republican state central committee said: "It has all gone for McKinley and Tanner by 125,000. Tanner is running way ahead of his ticket."

Captain John R. Tanner arrived at the Republican headquarters at the Great Northern hotel and was immediately congratulated as the next governor of Illinois. He said: "McKinley and I have carried the state by considerable over 100,000 majority."

Chairman Hinrichson of the Democratic state committee conceded Cook county to McKinley by 50,000 and admitted that the indications point to the rest of the state going the same way.

THE BUCKEYE STATE.

Indications That McKinley's Lead May Reach 65,000. Mark.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Twenty-one city precincts give McKinley 3743; Bryan, 3403, a Republican gain of 40 in each precinct.

McKinley's precinct at Canton has gone Republican by 51. It was 762 Democratic in 1893.

MAJOR M'KINLEY RECEIVING MESSAGES IN HIS LIBRARY.

Twelve precincts in Hamilton county give McKinley 2307; Bryan, 1919; Leverling, 3.

Thirteen precincts in Toledo give McKinley 2327; Bryan, 1649.

The Cincinnati Post claims McKinley carries Ohio by 65,000.

GIVEN TO M'KINLEY.

Democrats Admit That They Are Beaten In Michigan.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—It is generally conceded that Michigan has gone Republican by from 25,000 to 60,000 plurality. The latter is the figure given out by Chairman Ferry of the Republican state committee. Secretary Alward of the Republican committee claims the election of all 12 congressmen, but the Democrats still hope to save some of their candidates. The Detroit Tribune (free silver), on the basis of scattering returns thus far received, estimates McKinley's plurality in the state, outside of this county, at 29,000. The upper peninsula went strongly for McKinley, and from present indications the lower peninsula will do likewise.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Chairman Ferry of the Republican state central committee claims the state for McKinley by 50,000 plurality, and 10 out of 12 congressmen. He concedes two to be in doubt.

IN OLD KENTUCKY.

McKinley Wins and Republicans and Silverites Are Surprised.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 4.—Latest news from the state indicates that McKinley will carry the state by a much greater majority than Bradley carried it in 1895, for governor. The state will probably give McKinley 25,000 to 30,000. The result is a great surprise to the silver leaders, and the size of the result is a surprise to the gold standard men. Not much news has been heard from the western part of the state, where free silver is strongest, but the increased Republican majority in the central and eastern parts put the state beyond question in the gold standard column.

IOWA IN LINE.

Plurality For McKinley May Yet Reach the 100,000 Mark.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—Indications here are that Iowa will give McKinley a plurality of 80,000 or 100,000. The returns are coming in slowly, however. Gains are reported in almost every instance.

Des Moines, Nov. 4.—The Register (Rep.) claims that the state will give McKinley over 50,000 plurality, and elect an entire Republican congressional delegation.

The Democratic state central committee concedes Iowa to McKinley.

VOTE OF HOOSIERS

Showed That They Preferred McKinley to Bryan.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Indiana will give McKinley a plurality of 30,000, 11 Republican congressmen will be elected, and two are in doubt. The Republicans will carry both branches of the legislatures by a safe majority. Eighty precincts in Indiana give McKinley 8877, Bryan, 6934; Palmer, 23, a net Republican gain of 822 over '92.

WATSON FROZEN OUT.

Mississippi Gave a Big Majority For the Democratic Ticket.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi gives Bryan a majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000. Seven Democratic candidates for congress are elected by majorities ranging from 1000 to 5000.

Ladies Who Value
A refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder. It produces a soft and beautiful skin.

ON AN ELECTION NIGHT

HOW A NEWSPAPER HANDLES RETURNS.

Results Attained Only After Weeks of Preparation—Getting the Figures, Tabulating Them and Going to Press—Busy Scenes In Every Department of the Paper.

How a newspaper "covers" a presidential election is to most people a problem and a puzzle. Briefly, it makes preparations commensurate to the size of the task, employs the most trusted agencies obtainable, spends money without stint to secure early and late returns, tabulates them and displays them in the most attractive form, describes in a telling way the "story" of election day, comments on the results on its editorial page and goes to press and is on the streets at the earliest moment possible. The details are almost numberless, but no great newspaper neglects them.

Preparation is as necessary in "covering" an election as is fire apparatus in putting out a fire. Here is what a paper like the Chicago Tribune sets out to do:

First.—Print telegrams from every state in the Union showing the vote for president, giving in the case of the more important states the vote by counties and arrange the net results in an electoral table prominently displayed where it will attract the reader's eye, and, next to the headlines, tell the main story of the election.

Second.—Print similar telegrams regarding the fate of the various state tickets, displaying the names of the successful candidates under the headings for the different states.

Third.—Ascertain the political complexion of newly elected legislatures and show at a glance the political standing of the next United States senate.

Fourth.—Print the congressional returns and present a table showing the standing of the new house of representatives and a complete and correct list of members.

Fifth.—Pay special attention to the legislature of its own state, printing the returns and similar tables and lists of the new state senate and house of representatives.

The earliest returns on election night come in the shape of bulletins from scattered sections of the country, and when intelligently compared with the vote of the previous election show the general drift of things in those sections. The political editor, who has an important place in the telegraph room of the newspaper on election night, has the vote of 1892 where it can be consulted instantly. A steady percentage of gain for one side or the other in the precincts heard from is of the greatest significance to him, enabling him to forecast with reasonable accuracy the result in a given state. His assistants, generally expert accountants, under his immediate supervision, are prepared to co-operate with him in some prearranged division of the work. The political editor himself, for instance, probably devotes himself to ascertaining and tabulating the results, while his colaborers "handle" the United States senate, the lower house of congress and the legislature. It should be explained here that the duties of this particular corps of figurers and tabulators do not include the preparation of the dispatches for the printer. They will merely glance at the returns, take off the figures they need and pass them back to the telegraph editors, whose business it is to read and "head" them and send them to the composing room.

In addition to the usual staff of reporters it was found necessary formerly to employ a small army of expert accountants to "help out" on election night by keeping tally of the votes and computing totals. Those were engaged in advance, and their services were in demand not only on election night, but often for several nights afterward in tabulating the revised figures. Under this year's system the necessity for extra help, so far as the newspapers directly are concerned, was largely reduced. The small army of accountants will be employed by and work for the City Press association, thereby simplifying the task of the newspapers.

Of course no big paper goes to press the morning after an election without a telling cartoon on its first page, pictures and sketches of the new president and vice president and other prominent winners, and interviews with and gossip concerning the successful and losing candidates, their bearing under victory or defeat and their future plans. All these things must be arranged for in advance, even if it be necessary to have two cartoons ready, each telling a different story, but one of them "warranted to fit."

Another important adjunct of the work on election night is the reception and display of bulletins to the thousands that crowd about the newspaper offices. No one who has ever witnessed the brilliant illumination about the Chicago Tribune building at such times and the latest returns flashed by a stereopticon on an immense screen across the way will forget the scene or the enthusiasm of such portions of the crowd as were pleased with the results at the ballot box. The bulletin service must be engaged in advance, and all the accessories provided, and the paper that fails to meet these expectations is forthwith voted a back number.

It is 5 o'clock election afternoon, and as the polls close at 4 in Chicago the night and telegraph editors, the political editor, the city editor and his assistants, and the expert accountants and department men who aid both the telegraph and local forces election night are already at their desks getting everything into shape for a long siege. Owing to the difference in time, returns from the east come in earlier than those from the west. Significant "straws" may have been received from New England, New York and other states along the Atlantic in the form of early bulletins, which are hurried to the stereopticon room and thrown on the screen across the street. The first installment of the crowd about the building has gathered, and while it is not as noisy as it will be later on it is sufficiently enthusiastic for a starter. City precinct bulletins are coming in now and being displayed on the screen, and the crowd is warming up. Then comes another batch from the east or from Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and points in Illinois, and though it is still early the tin horn is in evidence and the grip car man has to feel his way through the crowd. By and by the returns take on a more definite character, and the statisticians in the telegraph and local rooms buckle down to real work. The receiver at the pneumatic tubes is doing business now, every moment or two bringing a small, cylinder shaped, leather covered box within which are returns from one to a dozen different points—local or outside. In the telegraph operators' room quick fingers are transcribing on typewriters what a dozen special correspondents here and there, hundreds or thousands of miles away, are sending over the wires. The blanks in the hands of the political editor and his assistants are slowly filling up, the telegraph editors are sending to the composing room miscellaneous copy and election dispatches other than returns, and the typesetting machines transform it into glittering lines of type. Later these metal lines help to fill the columns and pages of the great day after election paper.

Down stairs in the local room they have already received a number of complete ward, precinct and country town tables. The totals are taken off for the presidential, gubernatorial and other tables, and the "flimsy" copy rushed up stairs to be put in type.

It is the next thing to impossible election night to get total votes from all over the country outside of the large cities, where the methods of counting and of transmitting results are much more rapid than in rural communities. In fact, so largely do the first night's returns consist of more or less accurate estimates of pluralities that the best a newspaper can do, at least in its first edition, is to prine plurality tables. If not in its second edition, then in its first edition of the following day the reader will get uniformly the showing of total votes received by the opposing candidates, with the pluralities as figured out.

The editorial writers go home even somewhat earlier than usual the afternoon of election day, but they make up for it at night, when their presence is required at the office to comment on the all absorbing news as it finally crystallizes into ascertained facts. Generally an extra plate of the editorial page is required in the second edition to correct some of the earlier figures and make them agree with those received later and which will appear in the news columns.

The composing room is a fairly lively place any night, but election night sees it at its liveliest, especially after 9 or 10 o'clock. When election "copy" begins to come up, it comes in almost an uninterrupted rush until the finish. Never is the composing room system of classification and expedition put to a severer test, and never are the "make up" men more thankful for the invention of machine set instead of hand set type, especially when it comes to putting tabular matter into the forms. The press and mailing rooms—always busy places—are busier than usual election night, for the demand for extra papers is always enormous and necessitates an increased force in both departments to meet it.

The liveliest part of election night is the period between the first and second editions, or from 1 to 3 a. m. After the force of editors, reporters and statisticians have snatched a hasty lunch of sandwiches and coffee brought in from a down town restaurant they resume work on the returns still piling up before them. Consulting the proofs of the matter sent out and put in type earlier, they strike out here, insert new figures there, kill a heading and write a new one, change totals to conform to changes in the tables, cut down articles to fit them to required spaces and continue to send out new matter in the shape of later dispatches or new tables. Meanwhile the night editor is scheming out the arrangement of his "open" pages for the second edition, seeking to improve the old order and to present the newest and most important developments in the most conspicuous way. While in the midst of "making up" he shuts off the supply of "copy" to be set for the second edition and orders whatever is to come marked "extra" if it proves of sufficient importance to warrant another edition. Finally, about 3 o'clock, after pinching an article here, adding a piece of election matter there, to fill a column and using his miscellaneous short news pieces to fill holes, he sends the paper to press. It is a tradition that the average night editor "sweats blood" on divers and sundry occasions and that his temper, at least during working hours, is not exactly angelic. If there is anything that might justify this impression, it would be his exasperating experiences on election night.—Chicago Tribune.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

Wholesale Methods of Indians In Puget Sound.

The annual fall slaughter of the herds of deer that for centuries have lived practically unmolested on the many small islands in Puget sound has commenced. Last year three bands of pot hunters shipped several hundred deer to the neighboring markets and lessened the size of the herds very materially. Most of these hunters were Indians from the Tulalip reservation at the mouth of the Snohomish river.

The trade last year proved so profitable to the Indian managers, Jack Moses and Long Charley, that they have hired a number of Indians for three months and taken up their headquarters at Holmes harbor on Whidby island. They are well equipped with guns and have a pack of 20 excellent hounds. From this point they send out boats with men and hounds to the surrounding islands, and a rented steam launch brings their game to market. This wholesale hunting will undoubtedly destroy the entire herds. This slaughter is in direct violation of state game laws.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Self Rocking Chair.

At the residence of Charles Hammond in Columbus, O., there is considerable uneasiness over the mysterious actions of a certain rocking chair which seems endowed with certain supernatural powers. With no one near the chair will begin to rock to and fro, and this has not only been noticed by Mrs. Hammond, but by her mother, who was on a visit and knew nothing of any unusual manifestations.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Confidence.

Dah's one t'ing 'bout dis country, an I tells yo' dis foh sho'—
She's boun ter come out safely, os she's allus done befo'.
We's gwinter feel de same ole sense ob prondness when we sees
De stahs an stripes a-shinin an a-billowin in de breeze.
Yo' kin allus fin some floaters on de tide ob eloquence,
But it's hahd ter make it big enough ter drown dah common sense.
Yo' kin 'pend upon er nation foh ter stan mos' any test
When de people keeps a-hopin an a-tryin foh de best.
An f'um de no'thern waters, whah de chilly breezes blow,
Ter de summer time dat lingers roun de gulf ob Mexico,
Yo'll fin de one opinion dat'll never go astray—
Dis country is earth's greatest, an we'll keep it dat-a-way.
Yo' kin't mislead wif coaxin, an dey wakes up f'um de dreams
Dat dey sometimes lapses inter fro' some hypnotizin schemes.
We's boun ter be one fam'ly f'um de east cl'ar fro' de west,
While de people keeps a hopin an a-tryin foh de best.

—Washington Star.

Too Late.

De Sappy—When I was a child, I had a fall that knocked me senseless.

Miss Part—I suppose it is too late now to do anything about it.—Town Topics.

Patrick's Observation.

"How odd it is," said Pat as he trudged along on foot one sultry day, "that a man never meets a cart going the same way as he is!"—Household Words.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

SCARLET FEVER IN SCHOOL

BREAKS OUT IN THE HIGHLAND KINDERGARTEN.

There Are Several Children Stricken With the Malady.

The kindergarten in the Highland Congregational church has been badly broken up by scarlet fever. Already not less than half a dozen cases are reported, and it is feared that it may become epidemic. Lieutenant Kew's children were taken with the disease among the foremost, and the children of two other prominent citizens in the Highlands, have also been stricken. Investigation revealed the fact that several children were attending the kindergarten while suffering from a mild form of scarlet fever, and thus it was the disease spread. The kindergarten was closed for some days and fumigated, while the parents of the children were requested to have their little ones examined by their family physician lest they might be affected with the contagion. A doctor visits the kindergarten daily at present and examines the children carefully in order to guard against any further spread of the disease.

IN CALEDONIAL HALL.

Ladies' Thistle Club and Caledonians Have Merry Gathering.

The Ladies' Thistle club and the Caledonians held a Halloween festival last night in Caledonian hall. The concert program included piano selection, Prof. Buckley; songs by Mrs. W. H. Pepin and Thomas Wardell; an appropriate and well delivered, but brief address by Rev. Dr. Court, followed by a reading. Auld Lang Syne by (the company closed this feature, after some bagpipe selections and a dance by James Frazer.

After the entertainment, supper was served, and dancing followed.

LOCAL NOTES.

First-class coat makers wanted at Bertrand's, Middle street.

A. B. Butterfield, 84 Forrest street, reported to the police last night that he had his Stearns bicycle stolen from in front of Carter's drug store.

At Post 185, G.A.R. hall, last night, the Sons and Daughters of Maine had a largely attended and substantial supper of the old Pine Tree state sort.

It is said the Massachusetts mills are soon to grant an increase of wages to a majority of their employes. This is probably in accordance with the promises made by republican campaign managers that in the event of McKinley's election wages would increase.

Brutally Assaulted His Wife.

Teresa Riley who resides on Union street was assaulted by her husband this morning, who struck her on the head with a saucer, inflicting a bad wound. She was taken in the ambulance to the city farm. Her husband was arrested by Officers John B. Crowley and Tilton.

Riley, it is alleged, attempted to cut his wife's throat a few years ago. Not long ago the woman gave birth to a child unexpectedly and the infant died on its way to the farm.

At the police station, as usual, no one appeared to know anything about the case notwithstanding the fact that Riley was locked up at the time.

New Circle Instituted.

Star of Lowell circle, Companions of the Forest, was instituted at Odd Fellows' hall, Merrimack street, last evening, with 25 charter members by Deputy W. H. Harrigan, assisted by Napoleon Roy of Court Samuel de Champlain as marshall.

After initiation of members the following officers were elected and installed: Chief Companion, Mary A. Gookin; S. C. C., Miss Monohan; F. S., Kate A. Tweed; treasurer, Miss Breen; right and left guides, Misses Curran and Delehanty; inside and outside guardians, Misses Hubin and Horgan.

Chelmsford House Burned.

The house of Mrs. Mary J. Kearns in Chelmsford, situated on the plains, so called on the road from the Centre to this city, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The loss is $500 on the building. Cause unknown.

The Amendment Vote.

Biennial elections will not go with the voters of this city but the new city charter goes by a large majority. A great proportion of the voters paid little attention to the amendments as may be may be seen by the surprisingly large number of blanks cast. When the early reports came in it appeared that the "By any old" elections all on account of the blanks but both parties voted against the unpopular move though the greater number of its friends were republicans.

Alleged Centralville Burglars.

A. N. Harmon and Charles True were arrested today by Inspectors Laflamme and Officer Cawley for alleged burglary of Milo Hale's store on Bridge street. This was the alleged burglary in which the thieves ran away from the officer after he had cornered them behind some barrels.

Savoy Theatre.

The double bill. There was the largest audience of the season present at this popular play-house last evening, and not a seat was to be had on the lower floor after 7.45. The two plays, "In Honor Bound" and "Arabian Nights," were received with great applause and enthusiasm, and these, with the reading of the election returns, occupied the time until nearly midnight, when a well satisfied audience departed. The double bill will be repeated this afternoon and evening, and large audiences are assured.

At City Hall.

The local returns were slow in coming in at City hall and the usual crowd of spectators was absent, having dropped in early and seeing or hearing no excitement dropped out again and made tracks for the more exciting scenes about town.

The reporters had different and decidly better accommodations this year, being assigned to the public hearing room with the use of Supt. Cheney's office and telephone, which office by the way, was originally the press room and was usurped by Cleve. Of course this arrangement caused a decided inconvenience to the crowd who were want to get their returns from the reporters, but the reporters were well pleased with it.

City Clerk Dadman received the returns and turned them over to Arthur Salmon, who carried them to the press headquarters.

As early as six o'clock the citizens began to arrive and among the first were the roman candle brothers, Cheney and Miles, with a stick of fireworks to explode in case of a lack of enthusiasm on the part of the republicans, but the candles were stolen and exploded prematurely. Ex-chairman Killeski of the republican city committee, Alderman Howe and a few others blew in about seven o'clock and waited patiently until the first returns came in.

After the returns were started to get to city hall, they came rapidly for a couple of hours and as it became known that Major Rowell would land after all, the members of Centralville lodge began to ease up and the Courier-Citizen staff began to think of the raise in salary which it has been crying follows the election of McKinley.

About midnight a crowd of enthusiastic republicans well filled with enthusiasm and other things hove in sight and adjusted the ball.

Precinct three of Ward 8 came in last at 3.15 o'clock and at four Janitor Bill McGuirk closed the doors on the last of the watchers and Ned Cheney welcomed the dawn of day with a dozen or more roman candles which one disconsolate democrat said were pretty tough sort of "balls" to spring upon a man on the morning after election.

DO NOT HEAT YOUR BLOOD
Until it is almost a fever by trying to bake your bread through hot weather, as you will find this poor economy; but have
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call at your home, and for less than it would cost you to bake it yourself, you can get his celebrated cream bread, or pastry. Three delivery teams run to all parts of the city. Retail stores at
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Our entire stock of TRUNKS, BAGS, POCKET-BOOKS, SHRAPS, etc., to be Slaughtered at prices unheard of.
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LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 43 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT—Learn dress cutting and work for us. Position given to competent pupils. Room 53, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement at No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. B. Chalifoux, with J. L. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly house.

FOUND—That after 8260 cakes of "Sapro shine" guaranteed to clean silver, plain, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and drug store for it.

WANTED—A treasurer for a good reliable city. Apply at once to F. J. Meredith, Music hall, Lowell.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address M, sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $2600. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, new mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres. Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $11 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lewis Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.
New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 76 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.
A. J. RYAN, Agt.
Room 704 Hildreth Building (Old Post Office)

9 TIMES OUT OF 10.
When you look at your watch and some one sees you and asks you the time you will look again. It wasn't important enough to fix it on their mind but when you have tried most everything for your cough and have at last found relief by using "Goodale's Cough Cure" you remember it. It has that peculiarity of hitting the cough almost every time. 25c.
GOODALE'S DRUG STORE, 217 Central Street.

GOOKIN BROS.
ARE YOU THINKING OF FURNISHING?
DO YOUR ROOMS NEED CARPETS?
ARE YOU GOING TO BE MARRIED?
DO YOU REQUIRE ANY ARTICLE OF FURNITURE?
If so come and look through our warerooms. You will be courteously waited on whether you want to buy or not, and you will learn something about our prices that will cause you to trade with us when you need anything in our line. See our line of Couches at $8.00 and upwards. Chamber suites and Parlor suites from the cheapest to the best. Dining room furniture that is sure to please you both in style and price. The Glenwood ranges and Parlor stoves always in stock. Carpets and floor coverings of all kinds. A complete assortment of Housefurnishings.
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EXPORT BEER
Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery.
An Excellent Tonic
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LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance. Donovan bl'd.

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

Building materials are very low. You can get all mason's supplies of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, at low figures.

There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Saproshine. It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Dead Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in the woods in Pelham yesterday afternoon. No particulars can be obtained regarding the body.

Found in the River.

Workmen in the employ of the Locks and Canals company yesterday afternoon found the body of an infant in the river opposite Hunt's falls. It was turned over to Undertaker Brooks.

WHAT IT COST.

To Pay School Teachers and Janitors Last Month.

The total pay roll of the school department for the month of September was $21,844.11. Of this amount it took $10,267.77 to pay the grammar, high, special teachers and school officials; primary teachers, $6774; training school teachers, $1,025.00; kindergarten teachers and janitors, $1122.50; evening school teachers, $2003.75; evening school janitors, $244; drawing school teachers, $395; drawing janitors, $12.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The overseers of the poor will meet tonight to approve bills. Among the bills will be the charges of the lands and buildings committee for work at the city institutions and they will probably precipitate a lively discussion.

The committee on accounts of the school board met last evening and approved bills.

The sewer committee will meet tonight to hear persons in favor and against petitions for new sewers and extensions. Bills will also be approved.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

Today's are the last performances of Sherman & Morrissey's fancy collection of specialties, in Old Dan Tucker and those who have not seen the show are missing many laughable things.

John W. Isham's "Octoroons" will be the entertainment at Music hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday when a program will be presented that will delight almost any audience for which that popular play house is noted. It consists of clever and original sketches, singing, dancing, comedy and concludes with selections from the best grand and comic operas of the day, correctly costumed and scenically staged. The opening farce is full of mirth, melody and clever dialogue and while being a hit upon the fads and follies of racing also serves to introduce some clever singing and dancing. The olio which follows is made of several specialty acts which cost no little sum in the ensemble. The company has been carefully selected and while the singing of all is good, there are several voices which attract more than usual attention. Mr. Isham has endeavored to provide a novelty and it would seem that he has succeeded more than usually well.

CRISP GOSSIP.

John Murray, clerk in B. D. O'Connell's office is quite an adept sketcher. The young man very cleverly copies any kind of a portrait or caricature and reproduces it equally as good as the original. He drew the plates for the Sun's stereopticon last night.

Andrew G. Swapp, chairman of the school board has served a longer term in that body than any man. He is now in his fourteenth year of service, and as the old saying is "He improves with age." The republicans of Ward seven evidently know a good thing.

Dr. Thomas A. McCarthy a Holy Cross college graduate was bitterly opposed by the A. P. A.'s of Nashua yesterday in his fight for school committee. Dr. McCarthy is already a member of the board and was a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. He is well known in this city.

An orchestra will be organized of young men in St. Patrick's Cadet band. It will consist of 14 or 18 pieces and will commence to hold regular rehearsals next week.

At the meeting of the Catholic Lyceum tomorrow evening the newly elected officers will be installed. The exercises will be conducted by Dr. John J. Savage.

One of the oldest members of the Mathew Temperance Institute is John J. Lonergan the well known young boot and shoe merchant.

Mr. Lonergan is prominent in every affair conducted by the organization and is an earnest and willing worker in the temperance cause.

The invitations to the wedding of Mayor Courtney and Miss Alice Angeline Brouillette are being sent out.

"Are you going over to hear "Joe" Donohoe make a speech tonight?" asked a friend of Overseer Mahoney a few days ago. "Is Donohoe going to make a speech? Well I guess I'll be there; I would go to Billerica to hear him speak" answered Overseer Mahoney. "Joe" is making a record as a Bryan orator.

The liquor dealers and their clerks had a holiday yesterday and scores of them could be seen with guns and dogs going a hunting early in the morning, having first voted of course. The liquor dealers have nearly as many holidays as do school-children.

The Consumers' Hunting club held a day in the woods yesterday and President Rupperchi as usual bagged the best game.

The Lowell & Suburban construction department of which the boss is Mr. Michael O'Donnell, has just completed a remarkably quick and fine job of track laying in the extension of the Westford street line.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 51 MERR. ST.

there will be less than 40 Democrats.

Hartford, Nov. 4.—Chairman Fyler of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "With every town but one heard from, McKinley has 54,500 majority in Connecticut, and about 52,500 majority for Cooke for governor. Four Republican congressmen are elected by majorities ranging from 5000 to 15,050. Legislature will be about 225 out of 252 representatives, and senate wholly Republican."

THE GRANITE STATE

Gives McKinley a Plurality Estimated at About 20,000.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—New Hampshire returns came in very slowly, on account of the large number of names on the ticket; but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley, and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. The Palmer and Buckner ballot was very light, and out of a total poll of 90,000, it is not expected to exceed 5000 votes. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but it seems likely that he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The Republicans also gained in representatives elected, and the legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches; and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one, are Republican. This city gives McKinley 1000 plurality, and elects Albert B. Woodworth (Rep.) mayor by a large plurality.

Chairman Spaulding of the Republican state committee makes the following statement: "Returns from 70 towns indicate 28,000 to 30,000 for McKinley, and about 20,000 plurality for governor. Congressmen will have from 10,000 to 12,000 each. Legislature overwhelmingly Republican. Gallinger's re-election as senator absolutely assured."

PLURALITY OF 35,000.

Republicans and Democrats Lost Percentages In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—Returns from the state are being completed very slowly. Those at hand indicate that the Republican majority will be about 60 per cent greater than that of 1892, but that it will fall away from the September plurality given the Republican candidate for governor. As near as can be calculated from the meagre returns at hand, the Republican plurality will be about 35,000. In the towns heard from, the Gold Democrats hold about 10 per cent of the total vote, and this loss to the Democratic party is about equal to that of the Republican party in the state.

A FALLING OFF.

But Maine Still Furnishes a Big Plurality For McKinley.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Maine's plurality for McKinley, according to estimates made on the basis of returns from cities and towns in all quarters of the state, will probably fall short of the immense plurality at the September election by from 1500 to 2000 votes. The returns indicate a Republican plurality in the state of 46,600, while the plurality in September was 48,377 for governor.

GORMAN FORCES ROUTED.

McKinley Leads Bryan by Not Less Than 30,000 Votes.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—The Democrats of Maryland, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, have again tasted the bitterness of a defeat, so crushing as to be almost disheartening. The almost phenomenal majority of 20,000 for Lowndes a year ago has been duplicated and perhaps exceeded, as with full returns from two-thirds of the state and half of the city, the indications are that McKinley leads Bryan by 30,000; 20,000 of which has been contributed by Baltimore city, heretofore a Gibraltar of Democracy. Five Republican congressmen have surely been elected, the only doubtful district being the First, in which Joshua W. Miles (Dem.) may be elected. Mr. Miles, although running on a silver platform, has always favored the gold standard, and many think he may be relied upon to vote that way if returned to congress. There was no state ticket in the field, and a detailed vote in a case like this would appear superfluous. In the city, an almost unanimous Republican council has been chosen, including all the members of the "combine" which opposed Mayor Hooper, save the two Democrats who acted with them.

OVER 300,000 PLURALITY.

Republican Voters Turned Out In Force In the Empire State.

Albany, Nov. 4.—With less than one-fourth of the election districts above the Harlem river to hear from, and with the vote of New York city and Kings county complete, the plurality of McKinley over Bryan promises to exceed 303,000 in the state.

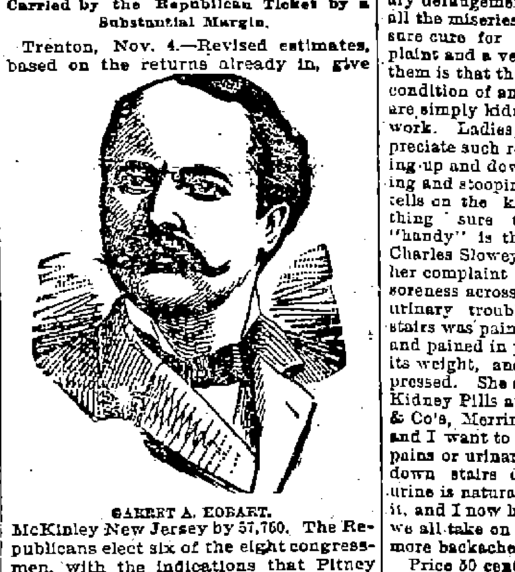
One county in the state, Schorarie, which is the home of Chairman Danforth of the Democratic state committee, has given Bryan a plurality of 500.

New York city has broken its political record of presidential elections. It has given a Republican plurality for president for the first time in its history. From 1832 to 1896, with one exception, Democratic presidential candidates have never polled less than 57 per cent of the total vote of the city. In 1848, the defection of Van Buren and the free soil party cut down the vote of the Democratic party to less than 36 per cent, but left a small plurality. Even in the Greeley campaign of 1872 the Democratic candidate nearly had 59 per cent.

HOBART'S STATE

Carried by the Republican Ticket by a Substantial Margin.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—Revised estimates, based on the returns already in, give



GARRET A. HOBART.

McKinley New Jersey by 57,760. The Republicans elect six of the eight congressmen, with the indications that Pitney (Rep.) has carried the Fourth district by 1200.

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Trenton, Nov. 4.—Reports received from all parts of New Jersey, with no county complete, indicate the state has gone Republican by 45,000 on president. Seven of the eight Republican candidates for congress appear to be elected. The state legislature will probably stand: Assembly Republicans, 44 or 45; Democrats, 15 or 16. Senate: Republicans, 18; Democrats, 3. Three, and perhaps four, of the 21 counties have gone Democratic. The Palmer-Buckner vote is higher than expected.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 4.—Chairman Murphy of the state committee claims the state by 35,000. Chairman Price of the Democratic state committee admits the state has gone for McKinley by 10,000.

SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Republican Electors but Governor Will Probably Be a Democrat.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—On account of the length of the ticket and much scratching, the count of the vote in Delaware is very slow. Enough is known, however, to indicate surely that McKinley has carried the state by about 1000 majority. In other respects, owing to the division of the Republican party into two factions, the Democrats have been successful. They have elected Tunnell governor, and Handy to congress, by about 5000 plurality each. They have also elected a majority of the legislature.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Returns from this city and all over the state are very slow. It is believed that the Republicans elected the presidential electors by at least 1000 majority, but Tunnell (Dem.) will probably be elected governor, and Handy (free silver congressman) is also probably elected. Reports from Kent and Sussex county say there was a great deal of trouble at the polls, the Addicks men attempting to secure the voters' assistants. In some districts no election was held. The Democrats claim they have carried Kent and Sussex counties by small majorities.

PLURALITY OF 280,000.

Is the Estimate of the Republican Vote In the Keystone State.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Estimates from every county in the state give McKinley an apparent plurality of 286,950. The great size of the ticket made counting necessarily slow, and the estimates in many counties are undoubtedly below the actual Republican pluralities. There is every reason to believe that the official returns will show a plurality for McKinley of 280,000. The legislature is almostly entirely Republican, the Democratic representatives not exceeding 10 per cent in the lower house.

Florida For Bryan.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall carry Florida by a majority over McKinley, closely estimated at 13,000 to 14,500, as against a majority of 18,900 for Bloxham (Dem.), for governor, over Gunby (Rep.) in the state election, Oct. 6. The returns received, covering one-fourth of the state, show a loss of about 4 per cent in the Democratic vote, and a gain of .39 per cent in the Republican. The total vote shows a considerable increase over that thrown in October, all the gain being on the Republican side. The Democratic aggregate will be about 26,000, and the Republican about 12,000.

McKinley Gets Tennessee.

Chattanooga, Nov. 4.—A tremendous vote was polled. The total will break all records in national elections in Tennessee. The city of Chattanooga has gone Republican. McKinley is leading the ticket in the county and district. The state at large is considered safe for McKinley.

Democrats Win by 20,000

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The returns received thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried Virginia by 20,000. They gained in the black counties, but lost in the cities and some white counties.

In Favor of Republicans.

Wheeling, Nov. 4.—The chairman of the Republican state committee says that McKinley's plurality will be 20,000. Returns come slowly. So far indicate Republican gains.

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Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

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Representative—27th.

Michael J. Coughlin, d.	132	146	241	519
Joseph F. Donohue, d.	155	178	280	594
Chas. H. Hosmer, r.	283	266	290	839
Edward A. Stevens, r.	270	243	266	779
Blanks	111	105	161	377

County Commissioner.

Levi S. Gould, r.	290	273	318	881
George A. Perkins, d.	151	165	232	548
Blanks	35	20	59	120

Congressman.

John H. Harrington, d.	133	147	235	515
William S. Knox, r.	318	256	325	939
Blanks	25	21	48	95

For President.

	Bryan and Sewall, D	Bryan and Sewall, N. Pr	Bryan and Watson	McKinley and Hobart	Palmer and Bucknor
Ward 1	355	9	1	802	16
2	697	8	12	358	20
3	249	13	3	1217	21
4	748	25	5	525	13
5	703	36	3	479	11
6	423	10	4	597	12
7	366	2	6	1046	25
8	207	37	3	1265	24
9	333	66	2	987	27
Total	4091	206	39	7670	169

For Governor.

	Coffin	Prince	Williams, D.	Williams, Pop.	Williams, D. Br.	Wolcott
Ward 1	6	28	336	25	21	813
2	3	26	704	63	16	321
3	8	27	223	20	39	1161
4	2	34	748	10	102	470
5	3	31	670	36	64	426
6	7	20	389	6	72	923
7	18	32	355	8	15	1001
8	17	25	190	10	29	1290
9	6	40	367	7	57	950
Total	65	263	3972	161	416	7369

Lieut.-Governor. Congressman

	Callahan	Crane	McConnell	Harrington	Knox
Ward 1	393	796	11	427	822
2	764	280	24	861	523
3	289	1127	21	345	1151
4	875	440	37	943	477
5	765	385	31	832	405
6	434	907	15	542	937
7	429	969	22	486	972
8	226	1104	16	279	1810
9	....	....	....	515	939
Total	4191	6007	177	5230	7396

Senator. Co. Comm'er

	Brigham	Fisher	Movoy	Putnam	Gould	Perkins
Ward 1	....	....	407	803	782	445
2	....	....	834	319	1295	851
3	....	....	308	1141	1052	351
4	....	....	920	479	445	340
5	390	835	....	....	406	532
6	....	....	470	943	947	481
7	....	....	442	959	898	538
8	....	....	230	1812	1260	320
9	903	525	....	....	881	548
Total	1293	1360	3640	5980	6994	5306

First Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Ward 1	480	458	447
2	218	728	879
3	666	472	377
4	338	760	427
5	313	657	465
6	532	553	500
7	562	567	453
8	735	438	480
9	624	509	416
Total	4458	5151	3935

Second Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks.
Ward 1	443	447	495
2	213	662	440
3	641	441	533
4	276	754	505
5	268	662	505
6	486	518	581
7	563	530	509
8	655	438	603
9	589	495	466
Total	4133	4947	4635

City Charter Amendment.

	Yes.	No.	Blanks
Wards 1	624	270	374
2	443	457	425
3	817	311	487
4	610	430	474
5	676	350	457
6	827	186	488
7	822	327	423
8	945	261	525
9	935	308	406
Total	6561	2930	4080

Fifth Congressional District.

In the fifth congressional district Knox wins by a big majority. The republican reserve vote came out strong. In every city and town Harrington ran ahead of his ticket. The vote by cities and towns:

	Harrington, d	Knox r
Andover	171	699
Dracut	110	222
Lynnfield	12	129
Lawrence	3487	4300
Methuen	212	790
North Andover	197	360
North Reading	25	119
Peabody	635	1115
Reading	155	781
Tewksbury	33	219
Wilmington	29	160
Woburn	1030	1396
Lowell	5230	7396
Total	11,308	17,746

REPRESENTATIVE CONTEST.

	25th District: Byam	Conroy	Hayes	Lang	Ramsay	Whitman	26th District: Dobbins	Gordon	Mansfield	Pattee	Rowell	Stickney	27th District: Coughlin	Donohoe	Hosmer	Stevens
Ward 1	....	....	....	....	....	....	700	421	450	734	705	457	....	....	....	....
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	205	838	891	266	260	701	....	....	....	....
3	....	....	....	....	....	....	1035	349	411	1000	1008	374	....	....	....	....
4	850	830	399	387	485	873	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	820	910	362	331
6	....	....	....	....	....	....	864	492	520	707	856	661	....	....	....	....
7	409	451	951	898	824	434	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	315	1240	1190	1191	1019	498	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	519	581	839	770
Total	1642	1580	2540	2476	2328	1805	2804	2100	2272	2707	2838	2216	1339	1491	1201	1101

The returns from the country towns in the 25th and 27th representative districts give the republican candidates the election.

MR. HARRINGTON'S VOTE.

He Runs Ahead of His Ticket All Over the District.

The vote for John H. Harrington, democratic candidate for congress for the 5th district, is very gratifying to his friends in this city.

In Lowell the democratic vote was as follows: Bryan, 4091; Williams, 3972, Harrington, 5230. By these figures it appears that Mr. Harrington leads Bryan in Lowell by 1139 votes and ran ahead of Mr. Williams, the candidate for governor 1258 votes. In every ward in this city he shows a gain over the head of the democratic ticket. In Lawrence he leads Mr. Williams by about 200 votes. In Woburn by 103 votes and so on throughout the entire district where his vote over that for the democratic heads of the ticket will not be far from 2000. The democrats of Lowell in particular will be pleased to know that their candidate led his ticket in every city and town in the 5th district.

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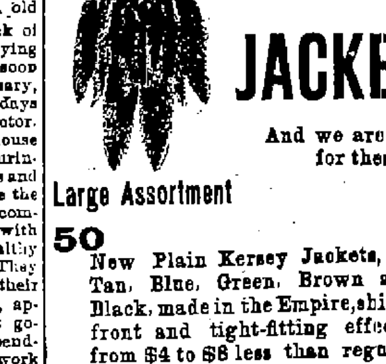

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Returns : Returns :

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Ladies' all wool Hose derby, and 2 and 1 ribbed, 12 1-2c a pair.
Ladies' seamless Hose, fast dye, ribbed, 19c a pair.
Ladies' extra fine, 38 wool Hose, for 25c a pair.
Men's half Hose, seamless, for 12 1-2c a pair.
Men's half Hose, all wool camel's hair, 19c a pair.
Misses' and Children's wool hose, 12 1-2c and 15c a pair.
Misses' and Children's fleece lined Hose, 10c.
Misses' fleece lined cotton Hose, 15c.

UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, a bargain for this week, 17c.
Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, for this week, 19c.
Ladies' extra fine Egyptian yarn Jersey Vests, 25c.
Ladies' combination Suits, 49c, 98c and $1.50.
Misses' and Children's Merino and Shetland Underwear, 9c up.
Men's Merino Shirts and drawers, 25c.
Men's fleece lined and Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, 49c.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, $1.25 kind, 98 cents.

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Extra special lot Kid Gloves, all kinds, none worth less than $1, 59c pair.
Chamois Wash Gloves 69c pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, all sizes, black and colors, 19c.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, the 38c grade for 25c.
Misses' and Children's Fine Cashmere Gloves 19c.
Children's Mittens, 1 dozen left at 8c pair.
See our line of Taffeta Gloves with fleece lining.

CORSETS.

Big job strip Corsets, a 50c lot for 39c.
The Leader Corset, worth 75c, sold by us at 69c, now 50c.
R. & G., P. N., W. B. Corsets, choice 75c.
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Big deal in wool ball Yarn to be sold quick at 7c.
Scotch Yarns, the 25c kind, 19c.
Zephyr and Germantown Yarns at prices heretofore not known to the trade.

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LIKE A FAIRY TALE.

Little Girl Wanders Away and Is Adopted by Bears.

Four-year-old Helma Ursler wandered away from her home near Snowshoe, Pa., Thursday noon. She was swallowed up in the wilderness of the Alleghany mountains.

A large searching party turned out to beat the woods. Late Saturday afternoon four lumbermen found the child about a mile and a half from her home in the dense woods, playing with two bear cubs. Strange to say, though her clothes were torn, she was uninjured except by brier scratches.

The men were taking Helma away when a 800 pound female bear dashed out from the underbrush. After a desperate struggle the beast was killed with axes. Fritz Yanser's right arm was terribly lacerated by the animal's teeth and claws, and amputation will probably be necessary.

Mrs. Ursler was almost insane when the child was returned. It is a trait of the bears in that vicinity that they never harm little children.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inauguration Ceremonies.

The Baltimore Sun says that when Governor Elect Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama is inaugurated, he will stand upon a foundation of silver. The heels of his shoes will be covered with plates of the white metal. W. H. Council, president of the Colored State Normal and Industrial school at Normal, Ala., has just had manufactured a pair of patent leather shoes which will be worn by Governor Johnston at his inaugural. The shoes are the handiwork of negro students. On the solid silver heel plates are carved horseshoes. Within the horseshoe of the left plate is this: "Made and Presented to His Excellency Joseph F. Johnston, Governor of the State of Alabama, by the State Normal and Industrial School, Normal, Ala."

They Met—as Usual.

The meeting of the National Cut and Wire Nail Manufacturers' association held in this city yesterday was merely the usual meeting for the month. There was nothing sensational about it. It was held for the usual purpose.

What is politely called a "national association" is really the Nail trust. It is so organized that half a dozen men from various cities, meeting in a private parlor in New York, fix the price of every nail driven in this country.

That is all. It is very simple. There is no longer anything extraordinary about it. It is now the usual thing.—New York World.

A New Type of Woman.

A new type of new woman has appeared in London. When a man offered her a seat in a car the other day, she refused it, saying: "Indeed, no; this so called politeness on the part of mankind is only the gilding of our chains. Men are polite because they think women inferior to them. If they looked upon us as their equals, these stupid gallantries would cease."

A Princess' Dowry.

It is announced in Vienna that the Russian emperor informed the Prince of Montenegro that he had fixed 1,000,000 rubles as a dowry for the Princess Helene, the same amount having been given to her elder sisters by the late emperor. The wedding present of the Russian imperial couple was a diamond ornament made in Paris at the cost of 2,000,000 francs.

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HALF HOSE.

1 case Grey Merino Half Hose, seamless, double heels and toes, well worth 22c. by doz., our price **12½c. Pair.**

1 case Grey wool and Camel's Hair Half Hose, heavy weight and good value at **17c. Pair.**

1 case of medium weight imported black cotton Half Hose, Hemsdorf dye, and imported to sell at 25c. Our price **15c. a pair, or 6 pairs for 75c.**

1 case "Contoocook" Ribbed Wool Hose, extra heavy weight, always retailed at 50c. Price for this sale only **29c.**

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY AND KNIT UNDERWEAR

Ladies' lined Jersey Vests and Pants. Seconds, good as firsts only **17c. each.**

1 case extra quality Egyptian Vests and Pants, fleece lined, best value ever offered in this city at **25c.**

3 cases "Harvard Mill" Jersey Vests and Pants, winter weight, the best value in this country at **50c. each.**

Misses—1 case Harvard Jersey Vests and pants, worth 50c., while they last at **29c. each.**

HOSIERY—LADIES.

2 cases Grey Wool Hose, seamless foot, good quality at **19c. pair.**

1 case Hemsdorf black fleeced Hose at **19c. pair.**

MISSES.

1 case all wool Hose, merino soles, size 6 to 8½ at **17c. pair.**

Infants, extra quality black Cashmere Hose sizes 4 to 5½ at **19c. pair.**

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